

Establish Beachhead Against Strong Japanese Opposition

Yanks Invade Marshall Islands

Commons Informed:

King Govt. Plans to Retain Power Until War Is Over Unless 'Business Prevented'

By JAMES MCCOOK
OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King said yesterday in the House of Commons that his government proposes to stay in power until the war is won, unless it is prevented from properly carrying on the business of government.

Unique Crisis

Split in Tories May Precipitate Early Election

By GRANT DEXTER

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—Following on the debate in the House of Commons last night it is evident that there now exists the explosive political material which will bring on an immediate general election. To that extent a political crisis may be said to exist. But this crisis, unlike the usual collision of political forces, is unique. It exists not between parties but within a single party.

Whether or not there is to be a showdown on the Halifax-Smuts Commonwealth single voice policy will depend on which of two factions within the Conservative party gains the mastery. Mr. Bracken is well known to be in substantial agreement with Mr. King in opposing the Halifax-Smuts proposition. But the true-blue Conservatives within Mr. Bracken's party are evidently in favor of accepting the issue as defined last night by Mr. King and of coming down heavily in favor of a Commonwealth with a single voice. The curious thing about it is that they are just as certain that the Canadian people will vote for the single voice policy as the Liberals are that the people will refuse it.

BRACKEN CAN'T DECIDE

In rough terms, this split in the Conservative ranks is between the Progressives and the Conservatives. Continued on Page 2, Col. 3

Women Released Following Inquest

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Mrs. Margaret Abbott and Mrs. Molly McNeice were released from police custody today following the inquest into the mysterious death of two-year-old Wayne Abbott in a downtown rooming house here Jan. 19.

Mrs. Abbott, 22-year-old mother of the child, was held on a coroner's warrant. Twice arrested, Mrs. McNeice was first held on a coroner's warrant released, and then re-arrested during the week-end pending investigation into a breach of the Liquor Act.

The child's body was found in an upstairs room, its throat cut and head battered. A coroner's jury last night returned an open verdict by "a person or persons unknown."

Chief of Police George Smith said the "case is not closed. The men who have been working, night and day, will continue their investigation."

Argentine Police Arrest Five Nazis

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BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 1.—Five German agents have been arrested by Argentine police on espionage charges. It was learned today, in the first government move to smash an admittedly vast Axis spy ring fostered in this country by the Nazi embassy.

Reliable informants said the five accused spies were members of an espionage ring operated by the former German military attaché in Buenos Aires, Capt. Dietrich Niebuhr.

This was the most drastic step taken by the government since it broke diplomatic relations with the Axis last week after accusing Germany of fostering a huge spy ring to operate against the security of Argentina and all the Americas.

Powerful Quake Destroys Town In North Turkey
ANKARA, Turkey, Feb. 1.—(AP)—A powerful earthquake destroyed the Turkish town of Gerede, 180 miles east of Istanbul, killing and injuring many of its 2,000 inhabitants today.

The tremors lasted 30 seconds and were felt throughout Turkey. Gerede, in Northern Turkey, is about 80 miles from the Black Sea.

Pensions Minister Ian Mackenzie Announces:

Veterans' Allowances Increased

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Increases in the treatment allowances paid to service personnel discharged from the armed forces for medical reasons and in allowances made under the War Veterans' Allowances Act were announced today by Pensions Minister Mackenzie at a press conference.

Mr. Mackenzie said that in future the treatment allowances will be equal to the regular pay or rank held, up to the rank of lieutenant, plus the regular scale of dependents' allowances for the armed forces.

In the past, discharged men were put on treatment allowances which amounted to much less than the pay and the dependents' allowance received while the man was in the forces. The allowances are paid from the time the man is discharged until his treatment period ends.

VETERANS' ALLOWANCES

Increases have also been provided for those receiving allowances under the War Veterans' Allowances Act. Now, allowances up to \$365 per year may be paid to an unmarried veteran, or to the widow of a veteran with no dependent children, while \$730 may be paid to a married veteran, or to the widow of a veteran with dependent children. In addition, in all cases, they may have

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To Newsmen

Mackenzie Hints He Is to Head Veterans' Dept.

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Pensions Minister Mackenzie indicated at a press conference today he would be minister of the veterans' affairs department forecast in the speech from the throne read at the opening of parliament last Friday.

At a conference on veterans' pensions and dependents' allowances, Mr. Mackenzie told newsmen he would soon call another conference on difference phases of the same subject.

"Will you call the conference as minister of pensions and national health or as minister of veterans' affairs?" a reporter asked leadingly.

Mr. Mackenzie smiled and explained the bill providing for the new department was not yet ready for presentation in the House of Commons but indicated that the new veterans' affairs department would absorb his own department—or at least the pensions part of it.

"It will possibly provide for substitution of the title 'veterans' affairs' where my own department, or the pensions' affairs part of it, at least, now is named," he added.

2 Jap Airfields Are Knocked Out

By DON CASWELL

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Feb. 1.—Allied airmen have knocked out, temporarily at least, two airfields at Rabaul. It was announced today as a communique disclosed that possibly 42 more Japanese planes were shot down in the last remaining major base in the southwest Pacific.

The new Allied blow brought the four-day toll of Japanese planes destroyed or probably destroyed to 164 and the number knocked out of action in the southwest Pacific destroyed and 178 probably destroyed.

Meanwhile, medium bombers escorted by fighters, hammered at Japanese shipping supply lines to New Guinea by sinking two 2,500-ton freighters and leaving a 3,000-ton ship in flames at Hama Bay, between Newak and Madang. The fighters wrecked four barges off Madang on the return flight.

Father of Ten Is Inducted in U.S.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—(AP)—A 38-year-old father of 10 children has been classified I-A by his draft board and certified for military service. "But my family will get along well," Lorenzo Villegas declared. "They told my wife, Lupe, that she and the kids would get \$260 a month. That's more than I make as a plumber's helper."

Mayor Cables Good Wishes to Brig. Jefferson

Thrilled by the exploits of The Loyal Edmonton Regiment in Sicily and Italy, and gratified with the recognition of the regiment's commander, Mayor John W. Fry, Tuesday sent a cable to Brigadier J. C. Jefferson, D.S.O., E.D., on his promotion to that rank.

Text of the cable follows: Brigadier J. C. Jefferson, D.S.O., E.D., The Loyal Edmonton Regiment, C.M.F. Sincere congratulations on your promotion. Edmonton proud of work of The Loyal Edmonton Regiment.

In Alberta

Resume Sales Beer as Supply Is Replenished

Suspension of beer sales, which went into effect at "practically every liquor store" in Alberta on Jan. 20 was lifted today, Feb. 1.

The suspension was announced last month by J. A. King, chairman of the Alberta Liquor Control Board, after quotas of beer for January had been exhausted by permittees. It was stated that reductions in beer quotas for January, February, and March had to be made, in order to get back to the regular schedule of monthly deliveries by brewers by April 1. (In November and December of 1943, beer sales were in excess of quotas set.)

When he announced the suspension of beer sales for the remainder of January, Mr. King said the proportionate reduction in beer supply would be heavier for January than for February and March. Liquor allowances as they stand at present are 12 pints of beer, 13 ounces of hard liquor, and 26 ounces of wine per month per permittee.

Churchill Won't Predict When War Will End

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Prime Minister Churchill declined to express an opinion in the House of Commons today as to when the war might end.

George Mathers, Labor, asked Mr. Churchill if he could yet state "the principle which would be applied in determining the date of the end of the war or cessation of hostilities, as at that date or a fixed period thereafter certain wartime agreements came to an end."

Amid laughter, Mr. Churchill replied: "No doubt at some date hostilities will cease in the different theatres of war."

"It is not for me to state what principle the courts would apply when they construe the terms of agreements now in force at the present time to make any statement which will proceed in determining any formal date on which the war will be deemed to be concluded."

Red Deer Soldier Is Facing Charge Of Manslaughter

CALGARY, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Russell L. Lynch, Red Deer soldier, was charged in city police court today with manslaughter, arising from the death of John A. Spillman, Carstairs, who was fatally injured when his automobile was in collision with an army vehicle, alleged to be driven by Lynch, near Aldrie, on January 9.

Lynch was remanded to Feb. 11, and was released in custody of army officials.

Engineer Dies

DETROIT, Feb. 1.—(AP)—William B. Mayo, 78, formerly chief engineer of the Ford Motor Company, and more recently president of the Chicago, Duluth & Georgian Bay Transit Co., died last night at Henry Ford hospital following a heart attack.

Baronet Weds

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Sir Cuthbert De Houghton, 63, whose baronetcy created in 1611 is the second oldest in England, was married yesterday to his 19-year-old secretary, Philomena Simmons, the daughter of one of his widow tenants.

Missing in Action



P.O. Edward Devaney, 19-year-old son of Mrs. C. N. Devaney and the late Mr. Devaney, 9519 110A avenue, who has been reported missing in action after air operations on Jan. 29. He attended the Sacred Heart School and St. Joseph's High School. He has two other brothers in the service, Petty Officer Tom Devaney, R.C. N.V.R., on active service and Capt. Charles Devaney, who is with the Canadian Army overseas.

Army Casualties

5 Edmontonians Killed, 7 Others Listed Wounded

Five Edmonton men have been killed in action, one is dangerously wounded and six have been wounded, a Canadian Army casualty list issued Tuesday reveals.

The 11 Edmontonians in the list are as follows:

KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. Roy Ernest Johns, Manitoba Regt.; Mrs. Vera F. Johns, (wife) 10344 105 Street.
Cpl. Phillip Glaude, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Sally Glaude, (mother) c/o Miss Alberta Glaude, 9605 102A Avenue.
Pte. Robert Leverington, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Lois A. Leverington, (wife) 12823 69 Street.
Pte. George Rich, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Pearl Rich, (mother) 9360 103A Avenue.
Pte. John Wallis, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Dorothy Wallis, (wife), Suite 422 Alberta Block.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

A/Cpl. Robert Brown-Knox, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Margaret Knox, (wife), 10152 94A Street.

WOUNDED

A/Cpl. Frederick Hugh Dee Fitzpatrick, Alberta Regt.; Frederick James Fitzpatrick (father), 12210 109A Avenue.

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Southern French Coast Evacuated

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LONDON, Feb. 1.—The Nazi-dominated Vichy government ordered a mass evacuation today of all non-essential personnel from the Mediterranean coastal area of France.

The Vichy radio broadcast the decree calling on all residents of the coastal strip "whose presence there is not indispensable" to move inland at once.

The move coincided with an intensification of the Allied bombing campaign against Southern Europe. Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, Allied commander in the Mediterranean theatre, recently hinted at possible Allied operations against Southern France.

On the island of Corsica, Allied forces are only a little more than 100 miles from Southern France.

Steal Safe

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Thieves did a heavy moving job at a downtown cafe early yesterday. They moved a large safe from the front of the cafe to a rear door loaded it on a truck and escaped. The safe contained \$600.

Many Are Helping

Canadian Legion Urges Clemency for John Hipfner

A crescendo of sympathy is rising throughout Edmonton and Northern Alberta for the plight of John Hipfner and his family and petitions are being circulated or planned in numerous districts seeking executive clemency in the extradition proceedings against Hipfner.

The Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L., acting fast to help, called and held a special meeting at the Memorial Hall, Tuesday at noon discussed the Hipfner case at length and then passed the following resolution:

"We are of the opinion that Hipfner has proved himself both a useful and desirable citizen and we therefore respectfully petition the United States authorities to discontinue extradition proceedings as no good purpose will be served by separating this man from his family."

President H. E. Tanner of the branch presided over the meeting. In Edmonton the Edmonton diocesan council of the Catholic Women's League started plans for the circulating of a petition throughout the Edmonton diocese seeking clemency for Hipfner, who is a member of the Roman Catholic church. This league has a membership of more than 1,000 women in the city, and more than 4,000 throughout the diocese.

Hipfner was arrested last Friday on an extradition warrant seeking his return to the state of Wisconsin on a charge of breaking jail there. C. McLaurin, in supreme court, that afternoon and on application of his counsel, Hugh Galais Macdonald, K.C., was granted an adjournment until Tuesday, Feb. 8.

An application was made also for bail. This was not opposed by the government.

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Study Problems

Canuck Newsmen Reach Britain After Sea Trip

By GEORGE V. FERGUSON
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LONDON, Eng., Feb. 1.—It is no secret that for months past there have been great movements of men and materials across the Atlantic and one of these recently carried on its bosom a party of eight Canadian newspapermen, bound for the British Isles as guests of the ministry of information.

The Atlantic ocean was cold, grey and stormy, as befits this time of the year, but the great ship reached its destination safely and the party duly arrived in London, very tired, very dirty, but without accident, unless a slightly-sprained wrist of my own can be so termed.

This minor disaster was caused, not by shaking hands with generals, none of whom on the ship showed the slightest interest in the small, disheveled group of journalists who wandered off at ease through the serried masses of olive drab and air force blue. No, this accident was the result of a surprise glass slide which, starting near one rail of the ship, ended at its bow.

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British Columbia Legislature Opens 3rd Session Today

VICTORIA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The third session of the 20th British Columbia legislature opens here today with little hint given as yet of legislation to be introduced.

Post-war rehabilitation is expected to take up much of the members' time, and some quarters suggest there may be a motion by a coalition member calling for repatriation of all Japanese in British Columbia in hopes of putting on record C.C.F. policy on this question.

Composition of the House is: Liberal-Coalition, 19; Conservative-Coalition, 11; C.C.F., 16; Labor, 1; Independent Liberal, 1.

Veteran Actor Dies in New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Robert Vivian, 83, actor who had appeared in many shows in this country and in England during the past 35 years, died yesterday. His last Broadway appearance was in 1941 in "The Distant City," with Gladys George.

Take Kingsepp

Soviets Capture Final Barrier Before Estonia

By ROBERT MUSEL

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LONDON, Feb. 1.—Red army troops on the northern front have captured Kingsepp, last German stronghold barring the way to Estonia. Soviet Premier Josef Stalin announced in an order of the day today.

Capture of Kingsepp, a key town on the Leningrad-Tallinn railroad and highway, cleared the way for a direct Russian drive across the Estonian frontier, eight miles to the west.

Stalin's order of the day revealed that Soviet troops of Gen. Leonid A. Govorov's Leningrad army captured the town today after forcing a crossing of the Luga River.

OUTFLANK TOWN

Stalin's order, broadcast by Radio Moscow, said Govorov's forces cleared the Nazis from Kingsepp after outflanking the town.

He announced that 124 victory guns in Moscow would fire a 12-salvo salute tonight in tribute to the conquest.

Fall of the town had been foreshadowed for the past 24 hours. Russian troops last night were reported to have broken into the streets and begun a street-to-street battle with the German garrison.

NAZIS ABANDON ARMS

Seeking to escape encirclement as the Soviets swept along the main highways, the Germans abandoned their arms.

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Hungary Sharply Rapped by Russia

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—A Moscow broadcast sharply attacked the Hungarian government today as a masquerading German accomplice seeking a way out of the war "now that the day of judgment is approaching," and said there still are 12 Hungarian divisions on the Russian front despite Hungarian denials. The broadcast added that a Hungarian ruling clique which made the original alliance with Germany now is maintaining that Hungary's continued military aid is "compromising Hungary."

Social Insurance, Reconstruction Are To Receive Study

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—A select committee of the House of Commons will be set up to study and report on a national plan of social insurance and another to study post-war reconstruction and re-establishment. Prime Minister Mackenzie King revealed today in a notice in today's Commons votes and proceedings.

Similar committees functioned last session but had not completed their investigations when the house recessed last summer.

The insurance committee, to report "on a national plan of social insurance which will constitute a charter of social security for the whole of Canada," will study existing Dominion and provincial social insurance legislation and similar legislation in other countries and recommended the most practical measures of social insurance for Canada, including health insurance.

Sentence Watchman For Manslaughter

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Donald A. Clark, 58-year-old war plant watchman, was sentenced yesterday by Mr. Justice Rodolphe Chevrier to two years less one day in the Ontario reformatory on a charge of manslaughter arising from the death of Alexandre Latreille from alcohol poisoning. The crown charged that Clark sold Latreille hard alcohol which had been taken from the war plant stores.

By WILLIAM F. TYREE

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PEARL HARBOR, Feb. 1.—United States army and navy forces, backed by battleships and many other types of naval craft, have landed in the Marshall Islands and established an initial beachhead against strong Japanese opposition.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz's Pacific fleet headquarters announced the invasion, the object of which was to capture the Marshall Islands.

The landing forces went ashore in the vicinity of Roi and Kwajalein Islands in the Kwajalein Atoll. Vice-Admiral R. A. Spruance commanded the American forces striking the first land blow of the war at territory held by Japan before this war.

HEAVILY FORTIFIED

American troops are fighting to take islands which the enemy has been preparing a quarter of a century.

Admiral Nimitz said the 4th Marine Division, headed by Maj. Gen. Harry Schmidt, landed in the Roi Island area, and the 7th Infantry commanded by Maj. Gen. Charles H. Corlett, landed in the Kwajalein Island area.

The plan of operation presumably calls for seizing lightly defended islands near Kwajalein and Roi, and then blasting at Continued on Page 2, Col. 2

Crashing Forward

5th Army Only 15 Miles From Italian Capital

By C. R. CUNNINGHAM

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ALGIERS, Feb. 1.—Allied troops crashed into the main German defences below Rome today after the British on the northern wing hurled the Nazis back to within 15 air miles of the eternal city in 48 hours of swirling hand-to-hand battle.

At the same time, Canadian troops of the British Eighth Army went into action on the Adriatic coast sector against strong enemy forces astride the road from Villa Grande to Tollo, five miles southwest of Ortona. The Canadians made progress in their drive toward the key port of Pescara despite furious resistance.

As violent fighting flared all across the peninsula, British, American and French forces knifed into the Nazi Gustav line, pushing the Germans back at a number of points from the Tyrrhenian coast to Cassino.

RUSH IN RESERVES

Official reports said the Germans were pouring men and armor down from the north to join in the spreading battle against possibly 90,000 Allied troops driving inland from their invasion beachheads at Nettuno and Anzio.

(Radio Rome said at least three Allied infantry divisions—about 45,000 men—and large numbers of Continued on Page 2, Col. 4

Report Election

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The CBC listening post at Ottawa today picked up a broadcast by Berlin radio saying that the Spanish government had decided to call a general election for May 1.

Gleanings From Today's Want Ads

(Turn to Pages 12 and 13)

WANTED—Apartment or furnished house by Feb. 1, two service men and wives, no children. Two bedrooms or more. Call anytime. Apply (Heading 36A—Accommodation Wid.)

67x130 FT. Lot corner 123 St. and 114 Ave. Apply (Heading 15—Lots for Sale)

WANTED—Service station, garage, etc. Pay cash. Would take over shop end. No welding. Let me know what you have to offer. Apply (Heading 20A—Business Wid.)

STUDIO lounge, double spring, good condition. Apply (Heading 28A—Articles for Sale)

A FEW select springer heifers and cows for sale. Apply (Heading 31D—Livestock)

LOST—Brown Cheesecake, female, four white paws. Apply (Heading 43—Lost and Found)

Deaths Recorded Today

Mrs. Mary Elliott.
Mrs. Alexander Simpson.
Mr. Peter Shalagan.
Mr. Thomas Gordon.
Mr. Alfred Henry Rogers.
Mr. Tony Pettit.
Mr. Allan Kittling.
Mr. Paul Avila Terrault.
Mr. Joseph Edward O'Callaghan.
Master Stanley Guileon.

General Vote Is Not Planned By Government

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speech, moved an amendment to the address in reply to the throne speech, "regretting" omissions in the government's social security program. This amendment is tantamount to a no-confidence motion.

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, moved a sub-amendment expressing his party's regret that the throne speech failed to suggest "fundamental social changes" needed to speed victory and obtain full employment and social security.

URGES SPECIFIC SUM

Mr. Coldwell said parliament should agree to spend a specific sum—he suggested \$5,000,000,000—in the immediate post-war period, spend at least \$500,000,000 on housing, plan rural electrification and maintain service personnel on full pay and allowances until they are absorbed in remunerative employment. Along with public ownership of banks there should be creation of a national investment board to direct savings into socially-desirable channels, he said.

John Blackmore, New Democracy leader, said "the evidence" appeared to indicate the Liberal government never will be permitted to do anything to hurt international finance and special privilege, since international finance appeared to be the "boss" of the party.

"The C.C.F. have two types of bosses. . . The marxian socialist and the political strategist. Surely the people of Canada do not want socialism."

DENONCES WAR EFFORT

Maxime Raymond, Bloc Populaire leader, said he wished to denounce the Canadian war effort, which he termed disproportionate to Canadian means. The term "mutual aid" was used to "disguise" the fact that gifts of billions were being given to Britain.

Frederic Dorian (Ind.-Charl.-Vanguard), said the 1943 federal by-elections indicated the government had lost the people's confidence, and it should go to the people in a general election.

Mr. King called upon John Bracken, Progressive Conservative national leader, to seek election to the house at an early date, "considering the importance of the great questions which have to be decided in this parliament this year. The only man who has a right to speak in the name of the people as a party leader, said Mr. King, "is one who occupies a seat in this house."

HOPES TO "CARRY ON"

The prime minister said he would repeat what he had said last year—that the government hoped "to carry through to the end the trust which had been given to us by the Canadian people, when they returned us to power, a trust that we would put forth the utmost effort in the winning of the war, and direct the affairs of Canada to that end."

"Unless prevented in some way which it would be impossible to control from carrying on the affairs of government as they must be carried on if we are to win the war, we intend to continue with that work, and that it shall not be interrupted by any general election until the war is won," he said.

"The people of Canada do not want a general election in a time of war. Our men fighting overseas do not want an election, if it can be avoided, until after victory is achieved and we are in a position to welcome them home as a victorious army from abroad."

WON'T SEEK ISSUE

While some questions might arise which would make it absolutely necessary that an appeal to the people be made to settle an issue, Mr. King said he had no thought of seeking an issue.

"What I am determined to do, if God gives me health and strength, is to stay in the position I am in at the present time until this war is won," Mr. King said.

Mr. Graydon said he had understood Mr. King to say he was opposed to any extension of the life of parliament.

"Unless there are very strong reasons to the contrary, I would wish to see no extension of the term of parliament," Mr. King replied.

When he began his statement on external affairs and Canada's relations with the Empire, Mr. King said he had not wished to discuss this at this time.

The question had come up of a common policy for the Empire on foreign relations, defence and other measures, as distinct from each nation of the Commonwealth having its own policy on such matters.

DEPLORES DISCUSSION

"I naturally deplore that this question should come up at this time because I do think that it involves discussion in the press, in public assemblies and the like which to a very considerable extent is taking the mind of people off the immediate thing, which, is the winning of the war."

"Why we need worry today about the form of organization which the Empire is going to take after the war, I cannot understand."

"I think the thing today is to win the war, and when the war is won there will be plenty of time to consider what changes in organization, if any, may be necessary."

Mr. King said he had no advance knowledge of what was to be said in Lord Halifax's speech at Toronto last week when the British ambassador to Washington spoke of closer unity of Commonwealth nations. He had been informed Lord Halifax was not making a pronouncement for the British govern-

PRIVATE BREGER ABROAD



"The train's due any minute—in fact, there's the engineer's dog approaching now!"

Marshall Isles Are Invaded By U.S. Forces

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those two strong points of Kwajalein still preparatory to capturing them.

Kwajalein Island has an excellent harbor, seaplane and submarine bases, and Roi probably the best airfield in the Marshalls.

In these landings, covered by continuous heavy aerial bombardment of the entire Marshalls group by carrier aircraft and surface forces, the Americans have struck at the heart of the archipelago, both geographically and from a vulnerable standpoint.

BOMBED STEADILY

For four weeks the 7th A.A.F. bombers have struck daily and often at night at Jap airfields in the Marshalls so consistently that General Willis H. Hale recently reported they all were neutralized from 20 to 80 per cent.

The last three days carrier planes laid hundreds of tons of bombs on these fields and supporting battle ships, cruisers and destroyers went in close to bombard all installations on Kwajalein and Roi where marines and infantry were to hit.

Soviets Capture Final Barrier Before Estonia

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doned their guns, heavy mortars, stores and other arms and supplies and fled into the marshes and woods on both sides of the Leningrad-Tallinn railway.

There they literally walked into traps laid by Soviet guerrillas and special detachments and were being hammered to pieces. It was believed unlikely that any substantial part of the German forces which fled the Leningrad front would succeed in escaping through the Narva gap.

One Soviet spearhead captured Monastyrki, only 4½ miles east of the Estonian border and 14 miles southwest of Kingisepp, after a 19-mile advance in 24 hours. Another seized Maloe Strelencye, 26 miles north of Kingisepp.

The fall of Kingisepp will clear the way for a frontal smash across the Estonian border toward Narva, 12 miles west of Kingisepp and key to the Narva Gap, only land route into the Baltics above Pskov, at the lower end of Lake Peipus 100 miles to the south.

Southeast of the Luga river, a natural German defence line, at several points to outflank Luga itself, a strategic railroad and highway junction controlling the only escape route for an estimated 200,000 to 250,000 enemy troops in the Nazi bulge below Leningrad.

Inducted!

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Deputy United States Marshal J. W. Ames delivered a prisoner charged with draft law violation to induction headquarters here. The prisoner was accepted for military service. So was Ames.

ment but was speaking as an individual.

OTHERS GIVE OPINIONS

Mr. King said other party leaders in the House had given their opinions on the Halifax speech and he felt it necessary to give his. The issue raised by Lord Halifax and Field Marshal Smuts was that future peace depended on the attainment of an equal partnership in strength and influence between great powers among the United Nations.

Mr. King said he could not agree with this argument.

"Should we not, must we not, aim at attaining the necessary superiority of power by creating an effective international system in which the co-operation of all peace-loving countries is freely sought and given?" Mr. King asked.

Mr. King said the country was anxious to know the views of Mr. Bracken as leader of the Progressive Conservative party, and to have them expressed in parliament. "What is going to become of parliamentary institutions if we begin to substitute for persons in the House of Commons itself or in parliament itself some form of absentee leadership?"

5th Army Only 15 Miles From Italian Capital

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tanks and heavy artillery weapons were spearheading the 5th Army attack and asserted that the Nazi defenders were battling fiercely every step of the way.

Gen. Sir Harold Alexander's invasion forces drove inland in two columns, with the British northern wing reaching the outskirts of Campo Leone, only 15 miles below Rome, and the Americans 12½ miles further south at Cisterna.

THREATEN RAIL LINE

The twin thrust threatened momentarily to break across the electric railway line leading down from Rome and further isolate the German troops struggling to hold their Gata line 70 miles south of the Italian capital.

Front dispatches said the Germans were entrenched in considerable strength along a five-mile stretch of the railway between Cisterna and Campo Leone, and it was indicated they would make their main stand there.

The American column drove to within one-half a mile of Cisterna from the southwest yesterday, and cracked head-on into the stiffest enemy position.

Headquarters spokesmen said Nazi Field Marshal Albert Kesselring was hurriedly shifting troops from his northern reserves to meet the increasingly grave Allied threat. Previously, he had withdrawn elements of the Hermann Goering Panzer Division and the Third Panzers from the Cassino battle line to the south.

QUITTING CASSINO

Front reports indicated the Germans had abandoned most of their prepared positions inside Cassino and were withdrawing into the hills behind that stronghold for a new stand.

Allied warplanes hammered the enemy all along the battlefield, while strong formations of heavy bombers ripped up Nazi airfields in northeastern Italy and the Australian Alps in an effort to hamper the flow of German aerial reinforcements to Rome.

Legion Asks Clemency in Hipfner Case

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Gerald O'Connor, K.C., Edmonton barrister and special counsel for the state of Wisconsin, Mr. Justice McLaughlin setting the bail at \$1,000. Hipfner was released on bail on Sunday afternoon.

Hipfner had served eight months of a three to five year sentence given him for his first offence against society. He has led an exemplary life since his escape from jail, and had established a modest home for his family in Edmonton.

OTHERS TO HELP

Other organizations actively working for clemency for Hipfner include the Local Council of Women, and the Federation of Community Leagues. It is understood that the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce will take this case under advisement at a meeting to be held within the next few days.

Mrs. Gertrude Dearing, president of the Edmonton Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League stated her organization in Edmonton had membership of about 1,000, and in Northern Alberta between 400 and 500.

The Local Council of Women, with a membership running into thousands, will meet at the Y.W.C.A. on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. to discuss the Hipfner case.

Percy Cowley, president of the Federation of Community Leagues, the central governing body of the league in Edmonton, stated he had called a meeting of the federation for Thursday to start a petition seeking clemency for Hipfner.

The Cloverdale Community League, through O. J. Skode, its president, has a petition now in circulation, and names are being affixed to it as fast as it is humanly possible for people to sign it. The Cloverdale Community League operates in the district in which the Hipfner family reside.

It was learned in unofficial sources that organized labor will discuss this matter at union meetings, and it is probable that it will reach the floor of the Trades and Labor Council at the next meeting to be held on Monday night.

Organized labor has been critical of the principle of taking fingerprints of men engaged on works projects, one member of a union stated Tuesday, "I have known of several cases in which the finger-printing resulted in the disclosure that the person finger-printed had sinned against society and had paid the penalty for that crime. But that did not seem to satisfy those finger-printing. They went to the person employed and informed him of the past crime. This happened on two or three occasions."

Labor does not object to finger-printing as such, but takes objection to making it a vehicle to impede the efforts of a worker to re-establish himself, he said.

Hipfner fell into the clutches of the law when his finger prints, taken when he hired to work with the Coast Construction Co., were sent to Ottawa and Washington officials. Comparison with records showed that he was wanted in Wisconsin on a jail-break charge.

Painter Dies

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Thomas Falcon, 71, well-known landscape painter, died today.

Annual Meeting Of Tory Group Set For March

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The second annual meeting of the Progressive Conservative Association of Canada will be held in Ottawa Friday and Saturday, March 3 and 4, Gordon Graydon, the party's house leader and president of the association, announced yesterday.

An executive meeting will be held March 2. Probably the day before the annual meeting the policy and resolutions committee of the party will meet.

A dinner will be held on the evening of March 3 at which John Bracken, the party's national leader, will make "important announcements," Mr. Graydon said.

Mr. Graydon announced he is not seeking re-election to the presidency in view of pressure of other work.

Canuck Newsmen Reach Britain After Sea Trip

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credible speed in the midst of a campaign. The soldier-crash shooters were very good-natured about it though when I repeated the performance less than an hour later, winding up in the same crash game it seemed likely to tax the good fellowship of the United Nations.

WORLD SMALL PLACE

Three hours after landing I was explaining to my friends the world was a small place after all. On the train travelling to London was W. A. A. Eddie of Glasgow, eager to hear word of his uncle, a hale old gentleman who lives in Winnipeg and, according to his nephew, spends much time attending Scottish dinners. I could tell him nothing but this did not prevent him producing a bottle of whiskey and toasting the success of the trip.

Then the train drew into Euston station and there in the gloom of the blackout were friends in plenty. J. A. M. Cook, Clifford Sifton, both correspondents of the Free Press, Cook is just back from Italy and is horribly convinced that everything was going to start in his absence. There were also waiting for us Campbell Moodie of the Canada House, and press relations officers from all over Canada, together with officials of the ministry of information, all of whom had been standing in the midst of an air raid warning for the train to arrive.

Then through the deserted streets, far more empty than Canadian streets at midnight of a Saturday, to Grosvenor House and the luxurious wartime rigors of a first-class hotel in Park Lane.

External applications of hot water together with internal doses of various bottled medicines with sandwiches, and the production of a vast program of activities already planned rapidly made the crossing of the Atlantic but a moist and chilling memory.

MONEY CAN'T BE SPENT

I cannot write about our journey across the Atlantic for censorship will not permit it and I cannot write about wartime England for I have not yet seen it but it is easy to tell, even for a tired newcomer that this country is geared for war in a way unknown to North America.

The country is prosperous. Full-time employment here, as in Canada, makes payrolls big but what is the use of money when money can't be spent.

Women's clothes are plain. If utility suits make men look drab, the equivalent of utility hats and stockings and the lack of cosmetics place strict limitations on the possibilities of female adornment.

When travelling is heavy and civilian trains are reduced by a third it makes for crowded accommodation. At one stage of our journey on Saturday there were 18 passengers in a compartment designed for eight. It was inspiring to watch the organizing ability of R. J. Rankin of the Halifax Herald supervising the portage of 30 pieces of baggage by his seven colleagues from one station platform to another, for porters are mainly porters and Rankin thought we ought to carry our own.

But starting tomorrow our tour begins. It will carry us far over Britain and perhaps in a few days we will begin to know just a little of how this still beleaguered island faces the problems of the present and the problems of the future.

"Suicide Squads" Battling Aussies

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Japanese "suicide squads" are making a last rearguard bid to delay the Australian advance through the Finisterre mountains toward Bogadjim, key Japanese base near Madang, according to messages received from New Guinea yesterday.

After routing the Japanese in a battle lasting five days, Australian troops at one point are closing in from three sides on a Japanese suicide detachment of 100 men preparing to fight to the end. It is estimated that about 300 Japanese were killed in the five-day battle.

Making a new advance of four miles and occupying a chain of villages, the Australians are at some points only 18 miles from Bogadjim. Only a spur of the rugged Finisterre mountains separates them from their objective.

\$200,000 Fire

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—(AP)—A fire which enveloped three buildings of the Gary Steel Supply Co., early Monday caused damage estimated by company officials at \$200,000.

Allowances For Veterans' Care Are Increased

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casual earnings up to \$125 annually and an additional unearned \$25 annually.

Formerly, allowances amounted to about \$300 for single veterans, or widows without dependents, less casual earnings over \$125 annually and an unearned income.

Mr. Mackenzie told the press conference, held in his office in the parliament buildings, that previously when a man was discharged for medical reasons he immediately went on treatment allowances which provided—no matter what his rank—\$44.20 monthly for himself, \$18.20 for his wife, \$12 monthly each for the first and second children, \$10 monthly for the third child and \$8 monthly for the fourth, fifth and sixth children.

NEW SCHEDULE

Now, a private entitled to treatment allowances will receive his monthly pay of \$45 per month plus a dependents' allowance of \$35 for his wife and plus \$12 monthly for each for the first and second children, \$10 monthly for the third child and \$8 monthly for the fourth, fifth and sixth children.

A lieutenant and those above that rank will receive monthly pay of \$150, plus a dependents' allowance of \$45 and allowance for children similar to those paid a private. In addition, the dependents are paid the obligatory cost-of-living bonus.

The maximum pay and allowances will be that of a sub-lieutenant in the navy, a lieutenant in the army, or a flying officer in the air force. The ceiling will affect all officers above that rank.

Those qualifying for the increased allowances are those whose treatment is continued without interruption from the date of discharge either as in-patients, or, in certain cases, as out-patients. The allowances may be continued only for a period equal to the service during the present war, or for 12 months following discharge whichever is the lesser.

In cases where hospital allowances are greater than the pay of rank at the time of discharge, the rate of hospital allowance will prevail. This is applicable to those requiring treatment for disabilities attributable to war service, who may, while out-patients, receive allowances equal to a 100 per cent disability pension.

CASES OF HARDSHIP

Provision is made also for dependents' allowances for persons who become dependents of the ex-serviceman after the date of discharge.

"Under former regulations there were certain cases of hardship," Mr. Mackenzie said. "To ask an army lieutenant, for instance, who, with his wife, had been in receipt of an income of \$195 per month to adjust living standards suddenly to an income of \$240 per month, was asking a great deal. The same conditions applied for those who had held non-commissioned rank."

"The situation was aggravated because of the fact that a man could do nothing to help himself and to increase his income, for, even though discharged from the armed services, he was not ready for rehabilitation. If his disability was pensionable, frequently there was a lag between the period of his discharge and the determining of his pensionable status."

WILL REMOVE WORRY

"These new allowances will give a man the peace of mind so essential to his ultimate recovery. I am of the opinion that, with financial worries removed during the period he is undergoing treatment, his recovery will be expedited and his mental outlook towards re-establishing himself in civilian life will be greatly improved."

The increased allowances under the War Veterans' Allowance Act may be paid without taking into account certain other income the recipient may have, the minister said.

Any provincial or municipal relief money, or mothers' allowances on account of dependent children, is exempt from being classified as income. The assignment or allotment of active service pay from a member of the armed services, when dependents' allowance is not being paid, is also exempt. Casual earnings up to \$125 annually and unearned income of \$25 annually also is exempt.

Those who will benefit from the increases are war veterans who are destitute and unable to work, but whose physical condition is not due to war service and who with their widows are not entitled to pensions. Pensioners and their widows in receipt of small pensions due to war disabilities also will benefit.

"The increase in these allowances is necessary due to the increased cost of living resulting from the war," Mr. Mackenzie said, expressing hope the increases could be permanent and not abolished when the cost of living declined after the war.

Wants Uniform And "In Hurry"

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—FO Geoffrey Guntton, of Sydney, Australia, a prisoner in Germany, in a letter to R.A.F. headquarters asked for a new uniform and urged it be sent as quickly as possible. "It will take about three weeks to reach me," he wrote. "Please have regard to possibility of it falling to reach me before this show winds up."

Drinks Scarcer

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Beverages in Britain are scarcer and the beer weaker but 211 govern-

Canada Is Giving U.S. "Usual" Quota Of Male Workers

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—A labor department spokesman said last night that Canada is "guaranteeing" the United States 3,500 men to cut wood for munitions and pulp, and is allowing the U.S. "leeway" to take care of the turnover in this type of work.

He was commenting upon a report from Boston that "hundreds" of able-bodied men are "loafing" on the streets of Quebec towns near the Canada-U.S. border while manpower in the U.S. is so scarce that wood cannot be cut.

"We are giving them pretty much the same (quota) as they always got," the spokesman said.

5 Edmontonians Killed, 7 Others Listed Wounded

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A/Cpl. James Jerry Fox, Alberta Regt., William Fox (father), 12248 101 Street.

Pte. Leonard Lamoureux, Alberta Regt.; Stanislas Lamoureux (father), 11208 150 avenue.

Pte. Rufus Frederick Lundwell, next-of-kin, father, 10618 110 Street.

Cpl. Alexander Chisholm Monro, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Monro Walker (mother), care of Auto Court.

Pte. Kenneth Herbert Turner, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Turner (wife), Sub P.O. 23.

There are 30 Edmontonians and men from Central and Northern Alberta in the list. Those from district points are as follows:

KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. Ernest Briault, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Celina Briault (mother), Fabry.

Pte. Edgar Melville Madden, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Norma A. Madden (mother), Lacombe.

Pte. Gordon Tough, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Margaret Tough (mother), To-field.

Pte. Peter Versailles, Alberta Regt.; Louis Versailles (father), Grande Prairie.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Frederick Hector Rees, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Helen May Rees (wife), Hillcrest.

WOUNDED

Adrian Christopher Boettger, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Ida Minerva Boettger (mother), Olds.

Pte. William Charles Burkholder, Alberta Regt.; Thomas Burkholder (father), Ashmont.

Pte. Evangeliste Cote, Alberta Regt.; Elhem Cote (father), Plamondon.

L-Cpl. William Robert Cruickshank, Alberta Regt.; Peter Cruickshank (father), Falher.

Pte. Ted Dobrowsky, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Katherine Dobrowsky (mother), Weasel Creek.

Cpl. Harry Ferrier, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. M. Patricia Ferrier, Sedgwick.

Pte. James Russell Gossline, Alberta Regt.; Carswell Gossline (brother), Vegreville.

Pte. Sam Litwyn, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Annie Litwyn (mother), Rocky Rapids.

A. L-Cpl. John William Mearns, Alberta Regt.; Joe Mearns (father), High Prairie.

Pte. Fred George Pawluk, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Katherine Pawluk (mother), Hilford.

Pte. Marilyn Winston Pendleton, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Helen S. Pendleton (wife), Irma.

A. L-Cpl. Einar Haronemus Peterson, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Johanna Peterson (mother), Midnapore.

Pte. Alexander M. Runyon, Alberta Regt.; Mrs. Margaret Grace Runyon (mother), Viking.

A. Cpl. Colin Fred White, Alberta Regt.; Fred White (father), Spitt River.

Rift in Hierarchy Of Nazis Indicated

MADRID, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Vague rumors that the German Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler had been executed had no confirmation today at this listening post, but the possibility of a rift in Hitler's Nazi hierarchy was noted in a reading of the usually well-informed German newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung.

This newspaper in its issue of Jan. 28 showed how Himmler, through his supposed "decentralization" of power, had carefully centralized it in his own hands. The article left the inference that Himmler may have lost his team-mate, Martin Bormann, chief of the Nazi party chancellery, in his drive for influence.

It has been reported for months that Himmler and Bormann were making a bid for power as the extreme wing of the Nazi party against such men as Joachim Ribbentrop, German foreign minister.

ment-owned pubs in Carlisle, Grenada and Cromarty Firth districts showed a profit of £250,000 (about \$1,125,000) in 1943, an increase of £22,500 over 1942.

Spain Reported Ready to Break Axis Relations

By The Canadian Press

Speaks in Debate Steps to Control Banks, Bold Economic Planning Demanded by C.C.F. Chief

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Mr. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, proposed a sub-amendment to the address in reply to the Throne Speech when he spoke in the House of Commons last night, expressing his party's regret that the Governor-General's advisers failed to suggest the "fundamental changes" necessary to win the war and obtain employment and social security.

Empire System Of Consultation Most Effective

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the House of Commons yesterday that there exists throughout the British Commonwealth of Nations "the most effective means of consultation and of co-operation in everything that affects policy, whether it is foreign policy or defence, or communications or any other particular subject."

Mr. King made the statement while participating in the throne speech debate and while discussing commonwealth co-operation. Emphasizing that he was "100 per cent for close consultation, close co-operation and effective co-ordination of policy on all (policy) matters as between the different parts of the British Empire," he described the existing set-up for such co-operation.

CONSTANTLY INFORMED

"In the first place there is the communication which takes place between governments of the two countries," he said. "This government receives every day several communications—I think I am right in saying—from the secretary of state of the Dominions bringing to our attention matters that are of concern to different parts of the Commonwealth."

"Our government communicates every day more or less—I think I can say every day—several messages go to the secretary of state for the dominions, giving our views in these matters. There is direct communication between the prime ministers of the different parts of the commonwealth."

"The prime minister of Great Britain communicates direct with the prime minister of Canada, as he does with the prime minister of Australia and other countries, and I communicate direct with him when the situation is important enough to have these direct communications in addition to the messages which are sent to the department of external affairs to the secretary of state for the dominions."

DIRECT CONTACT

The British government is represented in Ottawa by a high commissioner who can communicate directly with the Canadian government, Mr. King said. The Canadian high commissioner in London can communicate directly with members of the British government.

Since the beginning of the war, the high commissioners in the United Kingdom have held daily meetings with the dominions' secretaries. They are "informed of what is important in reference to inter-imperial relations and matters of common concern with respect to the war."

In addition, he said, Canada has high commissioners in Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Eire and Newfoundland. These countries have their high commissioners in Ottawa. British cabinet ministers have visited Canada and Canadian cabinet ministers have visited Britain.

"Therefore, in all of these particulars there is from day to day the fullest possible and most complete kind of consultations," Mr. King said.

Sailors Aboard Canada Warships Now See Movies

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Sailors in 60 Canadian warships now are seeing movies in their own mess-decks while shipmates keep watch for U-boats along the North Atlantic convoy route, a naval release said yesterday in describing work of the Royal Canadian Naval Film Society.

The movies are the same as those being shown currently in leading theatres ashore. The men pay a nominal admission fee, five or 10 cents for rating and 25 cents for officers, which is used to pay for projectors, films and the expense of distribution. In naval hospitals and hospital ships the shows are free.

Widow of Newsmen, Killed in Aircraft, Demands Damages

MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—(CP)—For the first time since the war started a damage action yesterday was presented in Superior court by the widow of an accredited war correspondent.

Mrs. Edouard Baudry claims \$3,375 for the death of her husband who was killed when the aircraft in which he was going to the Casablanca Churchill-Roosevelt conference as Canadian Broadcasting Corporation correspondent, was fired upon by anti-aircraft guns over Spanish territory.

The action was taken against the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. Mrs. Baudry claims that her husband had a \$10,000 insurance policy but that it was not in force because an extra war risk premium had not been paid.

H.M.C.S. Snowberry and Calgary



Steaming into port with an enemy submarine to their credit, H.M.C.S. "Snowberry" and H.M.C.S. "Calgary," are shown under the sheltering guns of H.M.C.S. "Prince Robert". The two Canadian corvettes have prisoners below decks. The same day as the U-boat was smashed they figured with Prince Robert and other ships of the Canadian and Royal Navies in a two-hour battle with enemy glider bomb carrying planes. They repulsed these attacks and escorted the convoy safely to the United Kingdom.

Finally Gets Action Corvette "Hunts" 3 Years Before Clash With U-Boat

By ROSS MUNRO

A PORT IN NORTHERN IRELAND, Feb. 1.—(CP)—

For more than three years the veteran R.C.N. corvette Snowberry tediously plowed the North Atlantic and Caribbean escorting merchant ships and tankers. All she fought were gales and high seas and a few long-range German bombers but she never saw a German submarine.

Then her big chance came in the Bay of Biscay on a calm, starlight night as she sailed into her first action with the R.C.N. corvette Calgary and the British frigate Nene.

The action was announced by the Admiralty Jan. 22, but the actual date was not given. The Calgary was commanded by Lt.-Cmdr. H. K. Hill, whose wife now lives at Kingston, Ont., and the Snowberry by Lieut. J. A. Dunn of Victoria, B.C., and Montreal.

FORCED TO SURFACE

The U-boat was forced to surface by depth charges and the conning tower showed in the glare of the star shells 800 yards from the Snowberry.

"We went full steam ahead," said Dunn. "The U-boat went under again and then lunged right to the surface."

"We opened fire with our four-inch gun and our first shot hit the conning tower. The submarine's crew came tumbling out of the hatch trying to reach the deck guns to blast us but we swept her decks with our Oerlikon guns and pom-poms."

"In a few minutes the Calgary and the Nene joined in the shooting and the three ships went after the sub like a terrier after a rat."

ABANDON SHIP

"The U-boat crew abandoned ship in the face of all this fire and the survivors floated around in the water until our ships picked them up."

"The Germans didn't even take time to turn off the sub's engines for she careened around on the ocean before sinking and at one time reared up and nearly rammed the Snowberry head on."

Officers on the Snowberry included Lieut. John Taylor, Winnipeg. The coxswain was Henry Biddle, Victoria, B.C., and the next senior lower deck man Clifford Stephenson, Victoria.

Selective Service Manager Appointed

CALGARY, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Arthur Wood, Calgary, has been appointed manager of the Calgary office of the Selective Service and Unemployment Insurance Commission to succeed the late W. H. Ross, it was announced yesterday. He has been Calgary tire rationing representative of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board since March, 1943.

CURB ACTIVITIES

"If you are going to help the people you must hurt international finance," said Mr. Blackmore. "You must curb its activities; must put an end to excessive profits; and wipe out its instruments, combines and cartels."

Mr. Blackmore said he was against any surrender of Canadian sovereignty to a super world government or to international finance.

The C.C.F. party had two sets of bosses—"Marxian Socialists" and "political strategists." The Marxian Socialists wanted to impose Socialism regardless of consequences. The political strategists wanted "power at any price."

Socialization of business meant socialization of everything else, said Mr. Blackmore; the end of private ownership of farms, savings accounts and insurance policies; the end of freedom.

"Economically there is no fundamental difference between C.C.F. socialism in Canada and National Socialism in Germany," he said.

ASKS BRACKEN'S STAND

Mr. Blackmore called on John Bracken, Progressive Conservative national leader, to say where he stood on the issues of the day. Mr. Bracken had once been a friend of the common man. The people wanted to know whether he still was, or whether he had become a friend of vested interests.

The New Democracy party stood for "abundance as against scarcity," for maximum production and for distribution on the level of maximum production, and "for total use of Canada's natural resources."

Machinery to ensure effective distribution could be built without difficulty. Goods could be distributed without adding to the people's burdens and without endangering the national structure.

The government had a "niggardly" attitude toward agriculture. There would be "bitter remorse" over the government's policy toward the sugar-beet industry.

UNDESIRABLE FEATURES
The labor policy bristled with undesirable features, Mr. Blackmore said, and the treatment of returned men was not reassuring. Men were given to menial jobs and there were evidences of "indecent haste" in discharging men from hospitals.

Bloc Populaire Chief Denounces Effort in War "Rivalry" Inevitable King Declines to Support Halifax, Smuts' Proposals On World Power Set Up

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Maxime Raymond, leader of the Bloc Populaire party and member for the Quebec riding of Beauharnois-Laprairie, said in the house of commons last night that he wished to "denounce again the Canadian war effort, which is disproportionate to our means."

In the throne speech debate, Mr. Raymond said he had noted the speech warned the Canadian people would be asked to increase the war effort.

This, he said, would mainly consist of extending the principle of mutual aid to the United Nations. The term "mutual aid" was used to "disguise" the fact that gifts of billions were being given to Britain.

"I have already denounced, and I denounce again, these gifts to a country richer and more interested in the present conflict than we are," Mr. Raymond said.

"England will act according to her interests after the war," Mr. Raymond said. "Canada should do likewise. In this war, we have played and we continue to play the role of a servant who is not consulted but who receives orders to be carried out."

"A few days ago," said Mr. Raymond, "we had a visit from Lord Halifax and he told us what we should do after the war to protect the possessions of the empire. He forgot that we are living in America and that our neighbor is the United States."

"The policy of the Bloc Populaire party is inspired from the formula of Lord Tweedsmuir—the first duty in loyalty of a Canadian is not toward the British Commonwealth, but toward Canada. And we shall act according to our interests which are in America."

"REAL SOVEREIGNTY"
Mr. Raymond said Canada should have "real sovereignty," the provinces should have "real autonomy," there should be a truly Canadian national anthem, a Canadian governor-general, and a distinctive Canadian flag. He urged abolition of appeals to the Privy Council, and that Canada have the right to amend its own constitution.

Frederic Dorian (Ind.—Charles-voix-Saguenay) said by-elections in 1943 had showed the government did not retain the people's support. If it performed its duty, it would resign and go to the people.

Other Empire prime ministers attending the forthcoming British Commonwealth conference in London would have recent votes of their people behind them, but Mr. King would be in a different position.

PAPAL PARTICIPATION

At the London conference, he suggested, Mr. King should sponsor participation of the Pope at the next peace conference. This point of view was shared by all those who looked to the welfare of mankind because the Pope was the world's greatest moral authority and the greatest friend of peace, said Mr. Dorian.

CRUISER SUNK

CAIRO, Feb. 1.—(AP)—A 5,000-ton enemy cruiser has been sunk in Zara harbor, Italy, by fighter-bombers of the South African and Australian Air Forces, a front-line report from Italy said yesterday.

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King said yesterday in the House of Commons that Canada could not support the suggestions of Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States, and Field Marshal Smuts of South Africa, that balance of power among great nations be sought after the war.

"It seems to me not to be a matter of matching manpower and resources—or in other words military and industrial potential—between three or four dominant states," said Mr. King.

"What we must strive for is close co-operation among these great states themselves, and all other like-minded countries."

"Behind the conception expressed by Lord Halifax and Field Marshal Smuts there lurks the idea of inevitable rivalry between the great powers."

QUESTIONS SUPPORT
"Could Canada, situated as she is geographically between the United States and the Soviet Union, and at the same time a member of the British Commonwealth, for one moment give support to such an idea?" Mr. King said he believed that Lord Halifax in a speech at Toronto last week was expressing his own opinions as an individual. He had been informed the British ambassador was not speaking for the British government.

Mr. King said he spoke of this external relations matter against his will. It was "unfortunate" that Lord Halifax's speech should have been delivered when it was, since it raised certain issues.

He wondered if those who were speaking about more effective consultation, co-operation and co-ordination began to realize how much had been achieved in that direction within the Commonwealth.

ONE CONCRETE ISSUE

Mr. King said one concrete issue in the speeches of Lord Halifax and Field Marshal Smuts referred to the domination of certain great powers.

"Both took the position that the resources and manpower of the British Isles were too small to enable the United Kingdom to compete with the United States and the Soviet Union in power and authority after the war. Both, therefore, argued that it was necessary that the United Kingdom should have the constant support of other countries, in order to preserve a proper balance."

"Field Marshal Smuts thought that this might be achieved by a close association between the United Kingdom and the smaller democracies in western Europe; he had little to say of the place of the British Commonwealth as such. Lord Halifax, on the other hand, declared:

"Not Great Britain only, but the British Commonwealth and Empire must be the fourth power in that group upon which, under providence, the peace of the world will henceforth depend."

UNABLE TO AGREE

"With what is implied in the argument employed by both these eminent public men I am unable to agree," Mr. King said.

It was beyond question that the peace of the world depended on preserving on the side of peace a large superiority of power, so that

those who sought to disturb the peace had no chance of success. But he questioned whether the best way was to seek a balance of strength between three or four great powers.

The Moscow declaration on general security forecast a system which would involve for its effectiveness firm commitments by all peace-loving nations to do their share in preserving peace.

Britain, the United States and the Soviet Union all were represented at the conference.

"What would seem now to be suggested is that the prime Canadian commitment should be to pursue in all matters of external relations—in foreign policy, defence, economic affairs, colonial questions and communications, to cite Lord Halifax' words—a common policy to be framed and executed by all the governments of the Commonwealth," Mr. King said.

AGAINST TRUE INTERESTS

"I maintain that apart from all questions as to how that common policy is to be reached, or enforced, such a conception runs counter to the establishment of effective world security. And therefore is opposed to the true interests of the Commonwealth itself."

Nothing he said should be taken to mean other than that the government was determined to see the utmost collaboration continue between Commonwealth countries.

"In meeting world issues of security, employment and social standards we must join not only with Commonwealth countries but with all like-minded states, if our purposes and ideals are to prevail," he said.

"Our commitments on these great issues must be part of a general scheme, whether they be a world basis or regional in nature."

Gets New Post

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Herb W. Seagrims, formerly chief pilot, western division, Trans-Canada Air Lines, has been appointed assistant superintendent of flight operations with headquarters in Winnipeg, it was announced here yesterday.

\$65,515,303 Balance

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The Civil Servants' Superannuation Act had a balance of \$65,515,303 at March 31, 1943. It was reported to the commons yesterday. Receipts for the last fiscal year totalled \$7,514,881 and expenditures \$5,588,105.

"FLAG SALUTING"

IN OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Radio talk by Mrs. Grace Knight, Wednesday at 8:15 p.m. over CKUA

Consumers' League

Radio Talks and Consumer News are now heard every Wednesday at 8:15. Dial CKUA for CBC news, then hear Consumer News.

GREAT-WEST LIFE Policyholders

BUILD SOUNDLY IN 1943

Policyholders in the Great-West Life shared a notable year in 1943. By their thrift and prudence they made remarkable headway in spite of the many strains of wartime and the unusual demands on their incomes.

1. Their increased savings added more than \$13,000,000 to the funds which the Company is holding for them. Over \$200,000,000 is now held in trust for 231,000 policyholders.
2. They were joined by 24,500 new policyholders who, along with former policyholders, added \$101,000,000 of new protection for themselves and their dependents.
3. They now own policies totalling \$759,000,000—an average of \$3,286 per policyholder.
4. They bought \$29,000,000 of Victory Bonds and U.S. War Bonds through their Company during the one year—representing \$125.00 for each policyholder.

To many policyholders, 1943 brought death, retirement or unexpected emergencies, but through their foresight they had provided for these contingencies. Beneficiaries whose homes were saddened during the year received \$4,573,000, while living policyholders received \$9,189,000—a total of \$13,762,000.

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MRS. PIP'S DIARY
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It'd help a lot of our post-war planning if we only knew what the neighbors are planning to buy.

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The One Effective Response

Publication of information of Japanese atrocities reacted in the United States to start a rush of buyers to the offices where war bonds can be bought. There should be a like speeding up of sales of savings certificates in Canada, and of bonds when another loan is called for. This is the only civilian reaction that amounts to anything. Resentment and horror are instinctive, and hatred of the perpetrators of the outrages is a common reaction. But these feelings do not of themselves produce results.

We cannot stop their crimes by just getting mad at the Japs—or the Nazis. That only uses up nervous energy to no practical purpose. What has to be done is to so thoroughly smash their military power that they will no longer be able to do such things, and the sooner this is done the less time they will have for more devilry. However wishful, civilians cannot reach the enemy to personally help administer punishment for these crimes—but their dollars can, in the shape of bombs and shells and bullets.

Revision Needed Now

It is safe to say that 90 per cent of the people in Canada are in agreement with the views expressed by Mr. G. G. McGeer to an Edmonton audience Saturday evening on the subject of old age pensions. The proportion may be higher than that—because who ever hears anyone raise objection to a liberalizing of the pension scheme? There is almost unanimous agreement that the pensions now obtainable are insufficient, that the age limit is set too high, that arbitrary restrictions work hardships. The fact is that the scheme is obsolete and needs revising in keeping with present day conditions and the progress of thinking on economic and social lines.

The pension plan should be overhauled at the present session of parliament. Smooth and satisfactory operation would be gained if the Dominion took over the entire responsibility for administering the scheme and supplying the funds. The qualifying age should be lowered, to at the most 65 years for men and 60 years for women. The amount obtainable should be increased, \$40 per month being a not unreasonable maximum in view of the increased cost of living. The restrictions which debar pensions from all who are not on the verge of destitution, and cut down the amounts procurable if a pensioner has some trifling income from other sources, should be drastically changed, or abolished altogether.

The better way to short-cut many difficulties, as well as to strip the scheme of any suggestion of charity, would be to make pensions payable to every person, rich or poor, on reaching the qualifying age. As the well-to-do would pay back the money in income taxes, the country would not thus be "making the rich richer", while the poor pensioner would be placed in the position of receiving a payment due and not a dole.

Parliament is definitely in arrears of public opinion on the pension question, and should not longer delay bringing the scheme up to date.

All in the Same Boat

Canadians are being told that freedom has failed in the economic field, that they cannot make a living for themselves in post-war years unless they forego individual liberty to carry on productive industry, and place their property and themselves in service to the State.

And who is the State? In the plan proposed the State would consist of Mr. M. J. Coldwell and a number of gentlemen elected to parliament on the socialist platform he is advocating. These gentlemen, so the theory implies, either know how to operate the industries of the country from farm to factory better than the men who are now doing this, or would operate them with a higher regard for the interests of other people. That is to say, the present owners of these enterprises are either incompetent or are so greedy that they operate to the harm and disadvantage of the people of the country generally. Stripped of camouflage language, that is the contention of the socialists.

Of course, for purposes of propaganda, the program is for the time narrowed down. Mr. Coldwell says, in a rather condescending tone, that he would not take the farm away from the farmer. But the farmer happens to be the man who produces the things most vital to the national existence. If the State is to make living cheap for the town people it can only do so by controlling the farmer's right to get what he can for his produce. This control could be most effectively exercised by taking the farm away from the farmer and making it a State property—as was done in Russia. And whether his farm was confiscated or not would make little difference to the farmer if his personal liberty to reap the full reward for his labor were taken away. The platform concession held out to the farmer is a concession only to the fact that the farm vote is large enough to defeat the socializing program.

If we are to have State socialism there will have to be State production of food, whether Mr. Coldwell wanted that or not, and whether accomplished by confiscating farms or by regimenting farmers. The wage and salary earners, to whom the State-ownership appeal is being directly

addressed, would force that plank into the platform once it was being put into effect, quite regardless of the pre-election promises of its sponsors.

A country cannot exist half slave and half free. Lenin saw that, and so did Hitler and Mussolini. If the wage-earner is to be made a servant of the State, the farmer will have to be made a State servant too—the wage-earner would see to that. If capitalism is to be liquidated, the greatest class of capitalists in the country cannot be exempt. National socialism means the suppression of free enterprise, not for a few nor for a few classes, but for all classes and everybody. That is what must eventually come if the socializing program were introduced.

Canada's navy is being strengthened by two cruisers and two destroyers, turned over by the British authorities as "reverse mutual aid". Commanded and manned by Canadians, the ships will broaden the opportunity of our sea arm to play useful parts in the struggle, both in the Atlantic and the Pacific. As Canadians are also to man two British airplane carriers, it has been suggested that our naval forces are to advance from the defensive role of escorting convoys and become more active factors in offensive operations.

From Berlin comes news that all the important towns in Bulgaria are to be evacuated. By order, of course. The residents are not just getting out to avoid being bombed. They are moving because the Nazi authorities have told them to move. The reason is self-evident. The towns are centres of anti-Nazi feeling. If the populations are scattered they will be less able to organize sabotage and revolt. The evacuation order is an admission that Bulgaria is getting out of hand.

General Mulcahy, head of the Fine Gael party in Eire, says the party "Stands unequivocally for membership in the British Commonwealth". Though his party is not in power, the fact that it has remained a formidable political factor is evidence that it has the steady support of a substantial proportion of the people of Eire. No Dominion is so well situated as Eire to benefit from Empire partnership, nor more certain to suffer disadvantages if it broke away. This economic fact cannot be permanently obscured by Mr. De Valera's appeals to historic grievances and racial feeling. Time is on the side of Mulcahy and his cause.

Looking Backward

From The Bulletin Files

1894: 50 Years Ago

Dr. Goodwin has imported a bass violin direct from London, England, with which to take part in the concerts of the orchestra society. It is an immense affair.

M. Maloney of South Edmonton returned from Saddle Lake on Friday.

The first curling game of the season was held in the rink on Tuesday afternoon.

The carnival last night was very successful in point of attendance and in taste and variety of costumes. Following are some of the prize winners: Miss E. L. Pettipiece, dusting girl; Miss Maud Lauder, the old woman who lived in a shoe; Miss Rosie Bush, Miss Mary Kelle contrary; Miss Ethel Matheson, Alberta; Miss Jennie Goodridge, Vivandiere; Miss Maggie Lauder, admiral; Miss Edna Matheson, gypsy; Miss Annie Lauder; Highland Lassie; Miss L. Kennedy, Sweden; Miss Mary Heimick, queen of roses; Miss Jennie Lauder, sunflower; Miss Eva Foster, rose maiden; Mrs. C. F. Strang, crossing sweeper; and Mrs. D. W. Macdonald, Quaker and Quakeress; Miss Annie Robertson, queen of night.

1904: 40 Years Ago

Russia is said to have concentrated 200,000 troops in the Yalu valley with a view to seizing North Korea.

C. S. Hyman of London has been called to the Dominion cabinet.

Mrs. Maybrick has been released.

Reported that Japan has landed 100,000 troops in Korea.

Armour unloaded four million bushels of wheat in the Chicago pit and there were scenes of wild disorder.

There are 682 pupils enrolled in the Edmonton public school.

Edmonton teamsters are out on strike.

1914: 30 Years Ago

J. K. Cornwall, M.P.P., will propose to the provincial government to take 300 of the unemployed men in the city to the north country to cut trails.

Lima, Peru: President Billinghurst has been overthrown and is in prison as the result of a bloodless revolution.

Berlin: Anglo-German relations are "very good" according to Foreign Minister Von Jagow, better than for years. He described Churchill's proposal for a year's holiday in navy building as "impracticable".

London: England is all agog over the allegation that both political parties have been selling titles to obtain campaign funds.

1924: 20 Years Ago

Vancouver: Captain Polkinghorne and a crew of Vancouver men are at Cocos island, looking for treasure supposed to have been buried there by pirates in the long ago.

Bombay: Mahatma Gandhi has been released from prison unconditionally by order of the government, having served two years of a six-year sentence for sedition.

Luxor: For the first time in 3200 years the great stone coffin of King Tutankhamen was today freed of its coverings.

1934: 10 Years Ago

Ottawa: Prime Minister Bennett gave notice that a special committee of the House will investigate the wide spread between the prices received by producers and the prices paid by consumers.

Ottawa: The bill to establish a Central Bank will follow the recommendations of the Macmillan Royal Commission. The bank will be privately owned.

Three Rivers: The worst winter storm in a quarter of a century swept over the Gaspe peninsula, immobilizing two crack express trains in mountainous drifts of snow.

The city council gave approval to the group hospitalization plan for the four city hospitals.

Today's Text

Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God—I John 4:7.

If you wish to be loved, love—Senecca.

Canadians Still Suffer from the Colonial Mind

Attack on Halifax Speech Reveals Inferiority Complex

By H. R. MILNER, K.C.

The abuse to which Lord Halifax has been subjected as a result of his recent Toronto speech again reminds us that the colonial mind has in this country long survived the Statute of Westminster. A certain perhaps limited but none the less vocal section still suffers from an inferiority complex especially towards all things British. With the passing years it does not seem to abate. Any British visitor runs into grave danger if in public or, indeed, in private he attempts more than bare-faced flattery and commendation of all things Canadian. Criticisms or suggestions, no matter how courteous or well intended, are almost certain to be taken as an affront by some of our publicists and politicians. This super-sensitiveness would lead many unprejudiced bystanders to the conclusion that we consider the British greatly superior to the native product; such an attitude is comic but too self-revealing to be comfortable. It is time that such nonsense were thrown away with our national swaddling clothes and that Canadians became accustomed to wearing long trousers.

Closer Unity

In Toronto Lord Halifax reasonably, courteously and with the utmost propriety discussed the future of the British Commonwealth of

Nations of which it is generally understood Canada is one and Great Britain another. The substance of his speech was to the effect that nothing should be left undone to bring closer unity of thought and action. He did not in any sense suggest that Canada's sovereignty should be surrendered to an imperial parliament or to any centralized authority.

Before referring to his exact words it is desirable to restate some very obvious facts. The Statute of Westminster recognized the independence and national sovereignty of the various Dominions. However, it merely formalized a situation which had been created, so far as Canada at least was concerned, by Sir Robert Borden at the Peace Table after the first Great War. For many years now it has been realized that all the Commonwealth Nations are free and independent one from the other and that their only common interest from a legalistic point of view was their common allegiance to one Sovereign. They had the capacity and the power to appoint Ministers or Ambassadors to foreign countries, to make treaties, and perhaps even to make war without reference to and without involving one another. Moreover, nothing could prevent them throwing off their allegiance to the King. Indeed Ireland has not taken part in the present war and to all intents and purposes has departed out of the Empire.

Canada for some years has been appointing Ministers and now is naming Ambassadors to foreign

countries. This indicates an intention of some day formulating a foreign policy although nothing has existed or exists as yet which could be dignified by that term. Up to the present our Ministers or Ambassadors or whatever you like to call them have been no more in fact than commercial agents. That has been inevitable. A foreign policy involves commitments and obligations which may in the last analysis have to be met by waging war, and a country entering into such commitments and obligations must have the necessary power to implement and maintain them. On this basis Canada standing alone cannot deal on an equality with any of the great powers nor, indeed, with very many of those in the second rank. The prestige and authority of its foreign representatives rests on the prestige of Canada as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations and on nothing else.

Canada, however, can exercise an influence out of all proportion to its military and economic importance. So long as it maintains its status as one of the Commonwealth Nations it can effectively bridge the ancient Anglo-American schism. Were, however, the Commonwealth to break up, Canada would be thrown willy-nilly into the arms of the United States. For Canada there can be no isolation; our population is too small and we look out on two Oceans. We will be faced with problems not only in Europe but across the Pacific and we are vulnerable from the North and from the South. The end and aim of our future foreign policy should be to maintain and strengthen

our connection with the other Commonwealth Nations and to promote the greatest friendliness and co-operation between the Commonwealth and the United States.

Choice

Canada faces, not in the too distant future, a final and irrevocable choice between two and no more than two alternatives—one is continuance as a most important member of a functioning British Commonwealth acting in harmony with the United States; the other is economic and political vassalage to the United States. One commits us to a determined effort to create a Canadian nation, the other, and perhaps the easier, involves nothing but the admission of our failure as a people.

With this background Lord Halifax said in Toronto—"I do not mean that we should attempt to retire our steps along the path that led from the Durham Report to the Statute of Westminster. To do so would be to run counter to the whole course of development in the Commonwealth." Nothing could be clearer. Lord Halifax was not advocating anything which would derogate from the sovereignty and independence of Canada. He lived, however, it was his duty to the United States. "That in all the field of interest common to every part of the Commonwealth—in foreign policy, in defence, in economic affairs, in colonial questions,

and in communications—we should leave nothing undone to bring our people into closer unity of thought and action. It may be that we shall find it desirable to maintain and extend our present wartime procedure of planning and consultation which itself adapted and extended the methods we practiced in time of peace.

Interdependence

The ideas of Lord Halifax deserve the most careful consideration. They are not dissimilar to those of Prime Minister Curtin and Field Marshal Smuts. They also realize as all thinking people do that "no country can live by itself and for itself alone." The structure of the British Commonwealth leaves "the greatest latitude for development" and, to paraphrase Lord Halifax, in working out our fate together we will discover that interdependence and inter-dependence so far from being incompatible conceptions are not only complementary but necessary to each other.

Whether we are to go forward with the Commonwealth and in co-operation with the United States or whether we are to become a mere satellite of the latter, the choice before us should receive our most careful consideration so that a decision can be arrived at based on facts and a realistic conception of the future.

High Barter in Italy

BY I.N.S. OF THE OTTAWA JOURNAL STAFF

It happened in Palermo, Joe Clark looks back to it affectionately, calls it "the incident of the new shoes and rubbers." The director-in-chief of Public Relations for the Armed Forces, during a tour of the Mediterranean theatre to study and improve operations of all his "information men", had been moving higher and longer enough to know that good clothes were rather than fine jewels to war-torn troops.

Early in December he and Col. W. G. Abel, D.B.R., at C.M.I.Q. reached Palermo and stayed quickly to that Sicilian town's best hotel—the Hotel Sole. As the colonel lingered at the desk Mr. Clark went upstairs to the room that had been assigned to him. It was no Waldorf Astoria but had two beds and a bureau.

Probably half wondering if he'd find a Gideon Bible, Joe pulled open a bureau drawer. Back! Not a three-cornered Cap-of-Good-Hope stamp, not a Crier diamond ring! But sitting perched in the (empty) drawer a brand new pair of American Army shoes, not yet with laces, and a fine pair of brand new rubbers.

Joe instinctively shut the drawer and looked over his shoulder. No one around. Some poor fellow's left those shoes, he thought. But by gosh they're good shoes. The soliloquy is disturbed by Col. Abel's entry. For several hours they talked of this and that, but the publicity chief's mind wasn't on his work. Should he tell the colonel? Yes, better get it over with.

"Great Heaven!" says Abel, or words to that effect. "Turn 'em in! Good God, no. Spoils of war, old boy; spoils of war!"

Mr. Joseph William Greig Clark allow himself to be persuaded. To give 'em to that Sicilian hotel manager would probably mean they'd be covering Sicilian toes away.

Scene two is in Naples, where two things are the talk of the town. One is the bunch of Canadian officers who had recently come ashore, having had their boat sunk from under them.

In the mess the first evening Mr. Clarke, always with a nose for news, tracks down a certain Major Campbell who had discovered the precious brandy. Poor Campbell has terrible-looking shoes, curled and cracked. Talk spins on from here to there, and first thing Joe knows he's been given two

bottles of brandy! Mr. Clark's not a drinking man these years, but news is his business and possibly he knows a reporter or two . . . Thanks, mate, don't mind if I do.

Scene three, up with the Canadians on the Italian front line. One week later. Mr. Clark is knocking about from one unit to another when he hears that somewhere one regiment has mysteriously come into possession of a stock of gin. Well, as we said, the P.R.O.-in-chief is entirely indifferent to the bottled stuff these years. But gin is gin, and he has a lot of newspaper correspondents out here whose tongues he'd like to wet. So . . .

With the unerring instinct of a good retriever Mr. Clark finds himself in the mess that's come by all the gin. He's just learned that the man to see is the quartermaster, name of Andrews, when who comes in another door but a fellow who is greeted as "Capt. Andrews."

Well, you know how you mix around in a mess, talking to this man for a bit and then that man. Sure enough, Joe gets to talking with Capt. Andrews. And, so help him, if it doesn't seem that Capt. Andrews' shoes are in a sorry state, as well. In fact, this Capt. Andrews' shoes are very bad indeed, what with all that dirty Wop mud and rain.

Knowing Mr. Clark as you do by this time you'll know his heart is wrong again, and that it's no time at all before he's digging into that pack to pull out those fine American Army rubbers. ("They were dark rubbers, too," recalled Mr. Clark with what seemed just a touch of sadness, as though he had not got quite all the joy that is said to come from giving.)

Capt. Andrews was tickled with the rubbers. "Just what I need," said he to Joe. "Being adjutant with this outfit seems to mean being general messenger, and the messages all seem to go through mud."

"I thought," remarked Mr. Clark with a touch of apprehension, "that you were quartermaster."

"Oh, no," replied the captain. "Quartermaster's Major Andrews, a popular fellow around here these days, too. He's rummaged us a stock of gin."

"Oh, I see," returned Joe, with a hollow laugh and an empty feeling in the pit of his stomach and the bottom of his pack.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

Mistake Made in Clinging To Petain and Hating De Gaulle

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON.—It has now been exactly one year and three months since the American people watched a cat-and-dog fight between the French followers of General de Gaulle and the followers of Vichy, in which the state department doggedly stuck by the Vichyites.

It was a bitter battle, not only among the French, but with the American press taking sides, and with caustic criticism hurled at the state department for co-operating with appeasers and abandoning the Four Freedoms. Nevertheless, Secretary Hull stuck with Vichy.

In view of all this, it is a matter of considerable importance that General Eisenhower, supreme commander of the invasion of Europe, has recently been back in the United States with a private confession that the pro-Vichy policy was all wrong.

General Eisenhower is now 100 per cent behind General de Gaulle. Furthermore, U.S. Ambassador Ed. Wilson, an able and shrewd observer, who has represented the state department in North Africa, is feared by friends to agree emphatically with General Eisenhower. They feel that de Gaulle represents the overwhelming majority of the people of France.

Eisenhower, being a military man, not a politician, did not understand French politics when he invaded North Africa. However, as he hears the time when he will invade Western Europe, he has to figure on getting the support of the French people. He knows that de Gaulle is the man who can deliver that support.

Hate King

Doubtless Eisenhower also has in the back of his mind the disappointing experience he had with Italian troops. Allied leaders had hoped that, once their working agreement with Marshal Badoglio was arranged, they would get real support from the Italian Army. It was hoped that Italian troops would turn round and fight the Nazis. However, this didn't happen.

One reason it didn't happen was the fact that the Italian Army had no new leadership, nothing new to fight for. Badoglio was the great friend of the King and, for a long time, he had taken orders from Mussolini—even if he didn't like him. So the Italian Army lacked enthusiasm for fighting under a refurbished, hand-me-down Fascist.

De Gaulle, on the other hand, has been completely divorced from

Vichy, has battled against the Vichyites, has been opposed by them even in exile. In the mind of the average Frenchman, he stands for new democratic ideals.

Why the State Department didn't realize this two years ago is hard to say. The answer is the same as for why the State Department thought it could do business with the King of Italy or Mussolini's son-in-law or the King of Greece.

The answer is also the same as for why the State Department never realized the vital issues in the Spanish Civil War, played ball with Franco instead of democracy, did not see that Spain was a testing ground where war in Europe might have been stopped. In brief, the answer is that most top men in the State Department come from family backgrounds of wealth or isolation which prevent them from understanding the psychology of the common people. Those who walk with kings lose the common touch. And those who have no idea what the American people are thinking cannot possibly gauge the more intricate public opinion in France or Italy.

Note: The State Department has a lot of A-1 youngsters coming along if they are not spoiled by the die-hards on top.

Rome in Ruins

The rapid approach of Allied troops toward Rome brings a shudder to Washington officials, who fear there's not much chance the city will survive. Before many days have passed, the Eternal City, unsurpassed as a monument in history, a repository of art, and a centre of religious life for half the world, may be wrecked.

Officials expect the Germans to take advantage of our urgent need to capture Rome by placing on the onus of its destruction. As a prize communication and administration centre, Rome is a military prize which cannot be bypassed. Even greater is the psychological value of taking Rome, the first of the three Axis capitals which would surrender.

Knowing this, the Germans will try to put a price on the city—the price of disgrace in the eyes of the world. They will defend Rome enough to force an Allied attack. Then Herr Goebbels will cry out that the city is being destroyed by the sacrilegious violence of British and American soldiers.

Military experts have some hope, however, that complete destruction may be avoided because of the fact that the city is not easily defended. It affords no natural barriers except the buildings themselves. Thus the Germans may have to withdraw before Rome becomes another Stalingrad.

Capital Chaff

King Carol is having a tough time getting his dollars out of the United

SIDE GLANCES



"I don't have to agree with you politically, even if you are the only butcher in the neighborhood!"

N.Y. Film Is Nazi Propaganda

Depicts Him as Superman; Original Tone of Script Distorted

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

From the ivory tower of a critic's column, Bosley Crowther, who reviews films for The New York Times, is waging a war which deserves the support of every writer on public affairs. He is not writing as a critic but as a patriot. He has pointed out—in two articles now—that a film, which recently opened on Broadway, and will shortly be shown to the country, simply must not go further without fundamental changes. The film happens to be, from the point of direction and entertainment, brilliant. Less discerning critics than Mr. Crowther have praised it. It has the makings of a great success. And yet, as I point out to the producer, it is a film which, translated into German, could be presented in Berlin as a morale-builder for the Nazi's war with only minor changes. I refer to "Lifeboat."

"Lifeboat," released by Twentieth Century-Fox, is the product of three highly esteemed names: The English director, Alfred Hitchcock, Kenneth MacGowan, and the famous American author, John Steinbeck. I think it time for Mr. Steinbeck to tell the public that this film is a complete distortion of his script—which I have read.

I understand that the original conception was Mr. Hitchcock's—of a film, the whole action of which should take place in a lifeboat, in which typical characters of the democratic world should be stranded

with a German Nazi, when an American merchant ship is torpedoed, and the German submarine also sunk. What was to emerge then, was to be a picture of representative behavior.

Mr. Steinbeck was employed to write a script around this idea, did so, went to the war front, and returned to see a finished product in which the meaning of the story was not only changed, but, in essence, reversed. In Mr. Steinbeck's script the Nazi is an average person, and the leading characters the negro steward and an efficient American trained nurse, who sets the Nazi's broken arm. In Mr. Steinbeck's script, the Nazi falls overboard in a fight that ensues when the others discover that, during a night at the oars, he has changed the direction of the boat, and they suspect he is taking them off course.

In the picture of Broadway, the Nazi is a Superman. In fact he is the only person on the boat who has intelligence, skill or purpose. His purpose is, as one among nine, to make the others his captives, and take them all to his supply ship, where he, a submarine commander, can rejoin his navy, and sink more American ships.

Meanwhile, he—not the American nurse—performs brilliant surgery on one of the American crew. He succeeds, due to superior intelligence and will. Rather than perish, all fall in with his plans. While he rows, they spend their time gambling, making love, and expressing concern only over personal interests.

When he is finally killed—by a hysterical murderer as was ever displayed on a film—it is not because he has been winning his war, and making fools of all—on the contrary, the crowd had even pipped for him while he sang sentimental German songs. No, they kill

him, when they discover that he alone has water and vitamin pills, which he has refused to give to one of their members who is dying of thirst. After this they are rescued—by sheer luck—and encountering a second German, disarm him, and ask—as the final line—"what are you going to do with such people?"

The moral seems to be that the only thing you can do with Nazis is kill them, not because they are evil, but because you can't compete with their efficiency, purposefulness and skill, and go on leading empty and comfortable lives.

If this Nazi submarine commander had been an American he would—had he lived—have received the congressional medal. That is the final judgment on the film. It is true that this Nazi is brutal—but brutal only when a selfless purpose demands it. He intends to win and not lose. The others are disturbed by his purpose only when it affects one of them. The net effect on an innocent observer must be that if this is the democratic world, it deserves to perish, and certainly will.

I ask some of the same questions that Mr. Crowther asks. How could this story emerge as it did? How could it pass the Hays office? What is the opinion on it of the army and navy departments? Will it be exported to other countries as an allegory about America?

And I ask Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. Skouras, the producer, of whose personal good will I have no doubt: Will you stop this film and will you change it?

I have waited ten days to write this article while the film runs—and in those ten days I have discovered that Mr. Crowther and I are by no means alone in our impression of the effect of this film.

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Dorothy Thompson

Official List of Casualties

Canadian Army (List No. M-418)

OVERSEAS

KILLED IN ACTION

Canadian Armored Corps
Melvin, Thomas Elburn, Lieut., John Melvin (father), Webb, Sask.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps
Clarke, Francis Phillips, Lieut., Mrs. Rea Clarke (wife), Belleville, Ont.

WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps
Davison, Theodore Herbert, Lieut., Mrs. Elsie Davison (mother), Toronto.
Prince, William Mariner, Lieut., Mrs. Margaret Prince (mother), Sunny Brae, N.B.

Regiment of Quebec
Lefebvre, Andre Marie, Lieut., Antonio Lefebvre (father), Montreal, Que.

British Columbia Regiment
Hanbury, Douglas Clayton, Lieut., Mrs. Valma Hanbury (mother), c/o Coast Construction Co., P.O. Box 48, Edmonton, Alta.

Alberta Regiment
Stauffer, Ernest Roy, Lieut., Mrs. Margaret R. Stauffer (wife), 11045 86 Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

MISSING

Regiment of Quebec
Dumont, Jean Bernard, Lieut., Aurele Dumont (father), Riviere du Loup Station, Que.

WARRANT OFFICERS, N.C.O.'s, MEN

KILLED IN ACTION

Canadian Armored Corps
Cuthill, Thomas Banner, Sgt., D117-188, Mrs. Mary Cuthill (wife), Dundee, Scotland.

Regiment of Quebec
Dion, Roland Joseph George, Lieut., Tpr., D3533, Mrs. Berthe Dion (mother), Verdun, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Hughes, John Benjamin, Tpr., F87-465, Carl Hughes (father), Fox River, N.S.

Regiment of Quebec
Kemp, Edgar, Tpr., D3692, Mrs. Hazel M. Kemp (wife), Alexandria, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Rau, Albert John, Tpr., A10231, Mrs. Catherine Rau (mother), Elmira, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Wilson, Andrew, A-L-Cpl., F73458, Mrs. Isabel Wilson (mother), South Porcupine, Ont.

Royal Canadian Artillery
Fairbairn, Clifford Ernest, A-L-Bdr., F112004, Mrs. Birdie C. Fairbairn (wife), Queensville, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Marshall, Stanley James, Gnr., H95-440, Robert Marshall (father), Roseville, N.S.

Regiment of Quebec
Steenhof, George Bob, Gnr., K38655, Mrs. Hilda Steenhof (mother), Train, N.B.

Central Ontario Regiment
Leitch, James, Tpr., F73023, George Leitch (brother), Kapuskasing, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
MacKinnon, Alexander John, A-Cpl., F74532, Daniel MacKinnon (father), Kirkland Lake, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Nettelton, Eric Morris, Cpl., B132288, Mrs. Verna Beatrice Nettelton (wife), Hamilton, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Pogue, William Stanley, A-L-Cpl., B13061, Mrs. Mabel Pogue (mother), Toronto, Ont.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
Delor, Kevin Joseph, Tpr., F60654, Mrs. Catherine Delor (mother), New-Port, P.E.I.

Regiment of Quebec
Gillis, Timothy Elmer, Tpr., F60663, Mrs. Nellie Gillis (mother), Souris, East, P.E.I.

Regiment of Quebec
Bernier, Noel, Tpr., E2625, Mrs. Rose A. Bernier (wife), Quebec, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Bugeaud, Albert, Tpr., D62807, Olive Bugeaud (father), St. Charles de Caplan, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Burgess, Toussaint, Tpr., D51267, Mrs. Adrienne Chartrand (wife), Cheneville, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Chartrand, Ricardo, Tpr., D51267, Mrs. Adrienne Chartrand (wife), Cheneville, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Desjardins, Leopaul, Tpr., D63348, Mrs. Desjardins (wife), Michel, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Legare, Paul Emile, Tpr., E2843, Mrs. Cecile Legare (wife), Quebec, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Pelletier, Emery, Tpr., E2783, Marcel Pelletier (father), Petit Rocher, N.B.

Regiment of Quebec
Turcotte, Thomas Louis, Tpr., E2923, Gaspard Turcotte (father), St. Gedeon Station, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Walsh, Walter, Tpr., E19269, Maurice Walsh (father), St. Mary's, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Doherty, James, L-Cpl., K53042, Mrs. Alice Doherty (mother), Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Regiment of Quebec
Gunter, Ernest Elmo, A-Cpl., K38669, Wiley Gunter (father), Hammon, Oklahoma.

Regiment of Quebec
Mott, Joe, Sgt., K42023, Mrs. Francis Mott (mother), Edmonton, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Nordling, Gustaf, K52313, Mrs. Isabelle Marie Johnston (sister), Victoria, B.C.

Saskatchewan Regiment
Wells, Joseph John, Tpr., L27325, Mrs. Eleanor Wells (mother), Ponoka, Alta.

Alberta Regiment
Guttrich, Siegmund, Richard, Pte., M11708, Mrs. Vera V. Guttrich (wife), Cluny, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Holder, Garrett, Pte., M16754, Mrs. Lillian Holder (wife), 13069 61 St., Edmonton, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
MacLean, Donald Hector, Pte., M17140, Hector MacLean (father), 507 Alexander Bldg., Edmonton, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Northey, Lloyd, Pte., M5310, Mrs. Charlotte Northey (mother), Bashaw, Alta.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Canadian Armored Corps
Welch, Norman, Pte., L-Cpl., B60923, Mrs. Edna L. Welch (wife), Toronto, Ont.

Alberta Regiment
Kjosness, Alton, Pte., M45520, Engerbert Kjosness (father), Holden, Alta.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment
Regley, George Henry Lewis, Pte., K52060, Mrs. Sarah Selina Regley (mother), Vancouver, B.C.

Alberta Regiment
Moore, Percy Percival, Pte., M12-564, Mrs. Gudruna Thordis Moore (wife), 10631 128 St., Edmonton, Alta.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Regiment of Quebec
Berthiaume, Raymond, Pte., D56328, Mrs. Marie Blanche Yvonne Berthiaume (wife), Montreal, Que.

Alberta Regiment
Paquet, Joseph Ivan Aurilien, Pte., D56184, Louis Paquet (father), Longueuil, Que.

WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps
Gallagher, John, Sgt., D1115, Mrs. Georgia Gallagher (wife), Lachute, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Garland, William Leroy, Gnr., G30-86, Mrs. Annie Garland (mother), Gallagher Ridge, N.B.

Regiment of Quebec
Greene, Duncan, Pte., C31524, Mrs. Annie M. Greene (mother), Ottawa, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Kennedy, William Andrew, Sgt., B74409, Mrs. Hannah Kennedy (mother), Cameron, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Navis, Zane Raymond, Tpr., H39707, Mrs. Stella E. Navis (wife), Winnipeg, Man.

Regiment of Quebec
Simons, Carl James, Tpr., B79692, Mrs. Alice Simons (mother), Hilton Beach, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Windle, Edward Joseph, Tpr., C38-236, Mrs. Beatrice Windle (mother), Renfrew, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Wright, William John, Tpr., B51841, Mrs. Mary Wright (mother), Toronto, Ont.

Royal Canadian Artillery
Bilboe, Alfred William, Gnr., L6016, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Bilboe (mother), Regina, Sask.

Regiment of Quebec
Hamilton, George Edward, Gnr., A102492, Mrs. M. Hamilton (wife), Malden, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Leachman, Glen Leroy, A-L-Bdr., G4585, Harry Leachman (father), South Devon, N.B.

Regiment of Quebec
Moreau, Antaine, Gnr., D118053, Mrs. Therese Moreau (mother), Verdun, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Payne, Lyman Edwin, Gnr., C75051, Mrs. Laura Payne (mother), Renfrew, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Pottruff, Arthur, Gnr., B13009, Mrs. Grace Pottruff (mother), Canbyville, Ont.

Royal Canadian Army Service Corps
Webb, Percy Charles Scotland, Pte., B84126, Mrs. Edith Webb (mother), Toronto, Ont.

Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps
Hart, Edward Arthur, Pte., D94, Mrs. Lily Hart (mother), Montreal, Que.

Royal Canadian Engineers
Wochulak, Nicholas, Pte., H53033, John Wochulak (father), New Toronto, Ont.

WOUNDED, REMAINING ON DUTY

Royal Canadian Engineers
MacLeod, George, Spr., F91525, Mrs. Charlotte E. MacLeod (wife), Westville, N.S.

Central Ontario Regiment
Brickles, Samuel, Pte., B64840, Mrs. Constance Brickles (mother), Toronto, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
McKee, Allan Clarence, Pte., B134-358, Mrs. Edith McKee (mother), Ottawa, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Norton, Ralph, Pte., B43151, Mrs. Margaret Benson (sister), Port Credit, Ont.

MISSING

Canadian Armored Corps
Morrow, Harold Bryce, Tpr., D36358, Mrs. Ada Morrow (mother), Verdun, Que.

Royal Canadian Artillery
Welch, Frederick Milton, Gnr., C1034, Mabel Welch (father), Smith's Falls, Ont.

Eastern Ontario Regiment
Cardow, James, Pte., L60161, Mrs. Germaine Cardow (wife), Hull, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Noel, Henri, Pte., E5264, Leander Noel (brother), St. Stephen, N.B.

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OVERSEAS

KILLED IN ACTION

Western Ontario Regiment
Nelson, Elmer Gerald, A-Major, Mrs. Emily Elizabeth Nelson (mother), London, Ont.

Eastern Ontario Regiment
Amy, Grant Frederick, Capt., Mrs. Mary L. Amy (wife), Ottawa, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Chicoine, George Frederic, Lieut., J. R. Chicoine (father), Quebec, Que.

New Brunswick Regiment
Barnaby, Percy, Lieut., Mrs. Jennie Barnaby (mother), Lewisville, N.B.

Manitoba Regiment
Cottingham, David Christoper, Lieut., Mrs. Franklin S. Cottingham (wife), Vancouver, B.C.

British Columbia Regiment
McLennan, William Fraser, Lieut., Mrs. Mary Isabel McLennan (mother), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Brochu, Marc Pte., E22811, Mrs. Henriette Brochu (mother), Quebec, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Harrison, Admar, Pte., E2234, Joseph Harrison (father), St. Felicie, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Arcand, Marcel, Pte., D61641, Clio Arcand (father), Montreal, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Beauchamp, Lucien, L-Sgt., E5228, Mrs. Evangeline Beauchamp (mother), Verdun, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Devlin, Philemon, Pte., E57625, Albert Devlin (father), Lac Aux Saumons, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Gagnon, Joseph Jean, Pte., D51000, Mrs. Josephine Gagnon (mother), Sherbrooke, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Noel, Joseph, A-Cpl., E104086, Joseph Noel (father), London, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Prescott, Roland, Pte., D0153, Mrs. Anna Prescott (mother), St. Charles de Manville, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Vezina, Joseph, Pte., E15153, Mrs. M. Vezina (mother), Cape St. Ignace, Que.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
Nickerson, Lockland Nelson, Pte., F10021, Mrs. Marion Beth Nickerson (mother), Lower Wood Harbour, N.S.

Regiment of Quebec
Price, George, Pte., F78055, Mrs. Susie Abraham (mother), New Waterford, N.S.

Regiment of Quebec
Reekie, William Edward, Pte., F35-478, Mrs. Elizabeth Reekie (mother), St. John's, Nfld.

Regiment of Quebec
Sullivan, Joseph, Pte., D63348, Mrs. Desjardins (wife), Michel, Que.

Regiment of Quebec
Haugan, Christian Bernard, Pte., H46527, Bertram Haugan (brother), Roseville, Sask.

Regiment of Quebec
Moody, James, Pte., H10568, Mrs. Annie R. Moody (wife), Portage La Prairie, Man.

Regiment of Quebec
Winton, Hector Charles Frederick, Pte., H10568, Mrs. Annie R. Moody (wife), Portage La Prairie, Man.

Regiment of Quebec
Biddlecombe, William Edward, CSM., K35056, Mrs. Biddlecombe (mother), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Brenner, John Livingstone, Pte., K52044, Joseph Dunn (friend), Ymir, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Brown, Leonard Morrison, Pte., K52769, Christopher Brown (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Brown, William David, Pte., K53331, Mrs. Alice Brown (mother), Toronto, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Buckley, Walter William, Pte., K53-970, Stella Clifford (friend), Los Angeles, Cal.

Regiment of Quebec
Bullock, Harry, A-Cpl., Walter Francis Bullock (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Grant, Charles, Pte., A-L-Cpl., K42811, Mrs. Beatrice Grant (mother), Cumberland, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Johnston, Hugh, Pte., K68547, Grant Murtie (friend), Langley, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
MacDonald, Donald Richard, Pte., K42641, Mrs. Jessie MacKenzie MacDonald (wife), Edmonton, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Martin, James Edward Albert Daniel, Pte., K62186, James H. Martin (father), Nanaimo, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Walter, Pte., K63064, Mrs. Annie Palmer (mother), Cranbrook, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Parker, William John, Pte., K48272, Mrs. Charles Parker (father), Aberdeen, Scotland.

Regiment of Quebec
Pike, William Donaldson, Pte., K54-070, James Pike (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Nicoll, William Alexander, Pte., K42-681, Mrs. Hilda Nicoll (wife), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Rivers, Peter, William, Pte., K57748, Walter Rivers (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Rutledge, Harry George William, Pte., K58532, Mrs. Lila Shirley (mother), New Westminster, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
St. Laurent, John Celestine, Pte., K42691, Mrs. Hilda Edith St. Laurent (wife), Buffalo, N.Y.

Regiment of Quebec
Stephenson, Thomas Anthony, A-L-Cpl., K52711, Mrs. Anna Stephenson (mother), New Westminster, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Sweeney, Eugene, A-Sgt., K52320, Michael Joseph Sweeney (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Saskatchewan Regiment
Cannell, James, Pte., L2886, Mrs. Anna Cannell (mother), Owen Sound, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Carrier, Henry Wilfred, Pte., L64262, Mrs. Grace Carrier (wife), Ninette, Man.

Regiment of Quebec
Moore, Edward John, Pte., L86855, William Moore (father), Prince Albert, Sask.

Alberta Regiment
Black, Gordon Keith, Pte., M17158, Mrs. Emma Black (mother), Wetaskiwin, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Daniel, Thomas, Pte., M54587, William Daniel (father), Frog Lake, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Day, Francis David, Pte., M7101, Mrs. Frances Day (mother), Eagle Bay, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Dudley, John, Pte., M102221, Mrs. Mary Dudley (mother), General Delivery, Telfordville, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Perry, Jesse Vernon, Pte., M16618, Mrs. Edith E. Perry (wife), Saskatoon, Sask.

Regiment of Quebec
Rattray, Charles Gordon, Pte., M17111, Mrs. Annie Rattray (mother), Lavoie, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Robinson, Garret Billyard, Pte., M18862, William J. Robinson (father), Cornwall, Ont.

Regiment of Quebec
Rudy, Maxwell, CQNS, M17339, Mrs. Ole Rudy (wife), 9314 104th Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Turison, Joseph Paul, A-Cpl., M17-238, Mrs. Rose Chernyanski (mother), High Park, B.C.

Regiment of Quebec
Weisgerber, Philip Anton, Cpl., M16891, Philip Weisgerber (father), Barre, Alta.



Norwegian women who enlist in their country's equivalent of the WAVES want to fight Nazis and no fooling. Pictured above are several learning to handle machine and anti-aircraft guns during training manoeuvres aboard British destroyer.

89 Protests On Atrocities Given Japan

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The state department disclosed yesterday that 89 separate, major protests and representations have been sent to Tokyo over treatment of captured Americans, apparently with little or no success.

Following up last week's army-navy disclosure of the horrors inflicted on the Americans and Filipinos who surrendered on Bataan and Corregidor, the department issued a summary of almost week-by-week efforts since the Pacific war began to get Japan to live up to its promises concerning treatment of prisoners.

LATEST LAST WEEK

The latest went forward only last Thursday—the day the army-navy report was released. It was (1) a broad review of Japanese failures, amounting in an effect to an indictment on 18 points, and (2) a comprehensive statement detailing specific instances, in effect a bill of particulars.

The state department said it issued its summary of protests "in order that the public may be familiar with efforts to obtain from Japan fulfillment of its undertakings to treat American nationals in its hands in accordance with humane and civilized principles."

There seems little question that the disclosures were intended also to remind us for the world the full picture of Japan's barbarity—to impress that the acts of cruelty were continued over the protests of the United States government to the highest Tokyo authorities.

Katherine Dombrosky (mother), Weasel Creek, Alta.

Forster, Harry, Cpl., M16789, Mrs. Patricia Forster (mother), Sedgewick, Alta.

Fitzpatrick, Frederick Hugh, A-L-Cpl., M30095, Frederick James Fitzpatrick (father), 1210 109A Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Forgie, Henry, Sgt., M15853, Henry Forgie (father), 204 14th Ave., Haney, B.C.

Fox, Jerry James, A-Cpl., M16366, William Fox (father), 1248 101 St., Edmonton, Alta.

Gerard, James Russell, Pte., M16677, Carole Germaine (brother), Vegreville, Alta.

Head, Cecil Emerson, Pte., M12002, Charles Emerson Head (father), Calgary, Alta.

Lamoureux, Leonard, Pte., M102125, Lamoureux (father), 1208 10th Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Litwin, Sam, Pte., M104066, Mrs. Annie Litwin (mother), Rocky Rapids, Alta.

Lundwell, Rufus Frederick, Pte., M16946, Hans Lundwell (father), 10418 110 St., Edmonton, Alta.

M15752, Joe Mearon (father), High Prairie, Alta.

Monro, Alexander Chisholm, Cpl., M16908, Mrs. Monal Walker (mother), c/o Auto Court, Edmonton, Alta.

Pawluk, Fred George, Pte., M16908, Mrs. Katherine Pawluk (mother), Whitford, Alta.

Pendleton, Merlyn Winston, Pte., M16908, Mrs. Johana Peterson (mother), Midnapore, Alta.

Petersen, Einar Haronemus, A-L-Cpl., M102333, Mrs. Johana Peterson (mother), Midnapore, Alta.

Runyon, David Alexander, Pte., M15832, Mrs. Margaret Grace Runyon (mother), Viking, Alta.

Sonheim, Edward, Pte., M16890, John Sonheim (brother), Winnipeg, Man.

Taggart, Ralph, Pte., M10197, Mrs. Eleanor Taggart (mother), Bellevue, Alta.

Turner, Kenneth Herbert, Pte., M16460, Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Turner (wife), Sub P.O. 23, Edmonton, Alta.

White, Colin Fred, A-Cpl., M17184, Fred White (father), Spirit River, Alta.

Wiley, Harold, Pte., M10394, Mrs. Jane Wiley (wife), 889 Seymour St., Vancouver, B.C.

Williams, Robert Donald, Pte., M16718, Mrs. Vileta Williams (mother), St. John's, Nfld.

Wilson, James Martin, L-Cpl., M17124, Mrs. May Thew (mother), Grande Prairie, Alta.

Wyatt, Douglas Fairbank, Pte., M60475, Francis Wyatt (father), Medicine Hat, Alta.

WOUNDED, REMAINING ON DUTY

British Columbia Regiment
Randall, Alfred Frank, Pte., K85266, George Frederick Randall (father), Cobble Hill, Vancouver Island, B.C.

MISSING

British Columbia Regiment
McArdle, Patrick Christopher, Pte., K57764, Mrs. Margaret McArdle (wife), Vancouver, B.C.

R.C.A.F. (List No. A-793)

OVERSEAS

DIED OF INJURIES

Petry, Lesley Lee, Pte., R142756, Mrs. L. L. Petry (wife), 9627 104A Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Sharpe, Joseph Harold, W.O. R101913, Mrs. J. H. Sharpe (wife), Cochrane, Ont.

MISSING ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Thomson, Thomas Davidson, P.O. 33836, Hugh Thomson (father), Moose Jaw, Sask.

PREVIOUSLY MISSING, NOW PRISONER

Luce, Oswald Alfred, Cpl., R4106, A. F. Luce (father), St. Catharines, Ont.

PREVIOUSLY MISSING, NOW SAFE

Gauley, George Albert, W.O. R90319, Mrs. William Gauley (mother), Goderich, Ont.

SERIOUSLY ILL AS A RESULT OF INJURIES SUSTAINED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Baker, Frederick Henry, P.O. J21903, F. H. Baker (father), Salt Spring Island, B.C.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Blackstock, David Gibbs, P.O. J18932, Mrs. Gibbs Blackstock (father), 32 Warren Rd., Toronto, Ont.

LISTEN TO

The Hon. James A. MacKinnon

Subject: Federal Government Farm Aid Policies

CFRN

7:30 P.M. TONIGHT

Alberta Regiment
Boettger, Adrain Christopher, Pte., M10188, Mrs. Ida Minerva Boettger (mother), R.R. No. 1, Olds, Alta.

British Columbia Regiment
Burkholder, William Charles, Pte., M16117, Thomas Burkholder (father), Ashmont, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Cote, Evangeliste, Pte., M103984, Ephrem Cote (father), General Delivery, Plamondon, Alta.

Regiment of Quebec
Cruckshank, William Robert, L-Cpl., M16067, Peter Cruckshank (father), Falher, Alta.

Dombrosky, Ted, Pte., M16614, Mrs.

Wednesday Morning SPECIALS.

Store Closes at 1 o'clock

Woodward's

Morning Clearance of SKI SLACKS

Tailored of sturdy hard wearing fabric in Navy only... Cut in the popular downhill style and all warmly lined... Have zipper fastening, and sizes 14 to 16 only. An opportunity to get that "Extra" pair of slacks you've always wanted... A Specially Reduced Price, **\$2.49**

—On the Second Floor

Housekeepers Can Save Wednesday Morning on Draperies

DRAPERY HOMESPUNS

Three or four attractive colors in a smartly designed material especially suited for bedroom hangings, and chair covers at this worthwhile saving for Wednesday Morning—20 inches wide—30 inches wide, very specially priced at, pair **\$1.95**

—On the Third Floor

FRILLED CURTAINS

Effectively styled for bedroom windows in fine quality Marquisette, and specially tailored in ivory color, standard length 2 1/2 yards by 38 inches wide, very specially priced at, pair **\$1.95**

—On the Third Floor

FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

LADIES' AND GROWING GIRLS' FOOTWEAR—In pumps, straps, ties and oxfords. In black, brown and blue colors. Choice of spike, Cuban and low walking heels. Higher priced lines greatly reduced for a Wednesday special. Narrow and wide fitting. Sizes 4 to 9. **\$2.88**

MEN'S BETTER GRADE WORK BOOTS—Plain tops and toe caps constructed of brown oxford in leather. Solid leather soles. Every pair outstanding value. Sizes 8 to 12. Wednesday special. **\$1.59**

MISSIES THREE BUCKLE OVERSHOES—Warm and comfortable. Sizes 11 to 13. Priced at, pair **\$1.49**

—On the Lower Main Floor

MEN'S FOOTWEAR

MEN'S DRESS BOOTS AND OXFORDS—Every pair outstanding value. In black or brown leather. Solid leather soles. Made over lasts that will fit, and give lasting comfort. Sizes 6 to 11. **\$4.48**

WEDNESDAY SPECIAL—Priced at, pair **\$4.48**

MEN'S BETTER GRADE WORK BOOTS—Plain tops and toe caps constructed to give outstanding wear. Every pair roomy fitted and will give miles of walking comfort. Sizes 6 to 11. **\$4.88**

MEN'S HORSE HIDE MOCCASINS in twelve and eight eyelets. Sizes 8 to 11. In the Wednesday special. **\$1.59**

MEN'S ONE BUCKLE OVERSHOES—Sizes 6 to 11. Priced at, pair **\$1.39**

—On the Main Floor

HARDWARE VALUES

CAR SEAT COVERS—Three only. 1933, 1936 and 1940 models. 1 only for the front seat of the Ford 1937, 1938 and Olds 1941 and 1942. 1 only for the front seat of the Chevrolet, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. Priced at, each **\$3.95**

TWO ONLY KICK PADS—Fit all cars. Protects the door upholstery from shoe marks, soiling, etc. Deluxe style with pockets. Priced at, each **98c**

Steering Wheel Cover, Priced at, each **29c**

—On the Lower Main Floor

CHINAWARE DEPARTMENT

Milk Pitchers, English jugs, family size, nicely glazed and decorated. Special Wednesday. Priced at, each **65c**

FANCY CUPS AND SAUCERS

Bone china cups and saucers, assorted decorations. English make. Wednesday morning, priced at, each **65c**

—On the Third Floor

PICTURE DEPARTMENT

Lovely scenes in nice frames, sizes about 10x12. Landscapes, Gateways, etc. Gilt mouldings. Special, Priced at, each **39c**

—On the Third Floor

GROCERIA VALUES

After Inventory Clearance Specials—On Sale Wednesday

Limited Quantities

Dehydrated Soups 6 to 8 servings **51c**

Vegetable or Noodle, pkg. **51c**

Appetizer Delicious Beverage. Can be substituted for or mixed with coffee. Package makes 200 cups **51c**

Rainbow Cereal For Cream Porridge **8 pkgs. 51c**

SUNLIGHT 51c

Castile Soap 51c

Shower Style, bar 51c

Dessert Puddings Chocolate, Butterscotch, Vanilla, Caramel, Package for makes a pint **2 51c**

Aylmer Baked Beans Dehydrated, makes 16 ounces **51c**

"Nabob" Pepper Black or White, pkg. **51c**

—On the Lower Main Floor

Our Regular Mail Order Customers May Buy the Above Offerings.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

On Sale Wednesday Only

Tomatoes—firm ripe, lb. **25c**

CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS ORANGES, Size 350, dozen **29c**

Lettuces—firm green heads, each **12c**

CARROT, 3 for **25c**

—On the Lower Main Floor

PROVISIONS

On Sale Wednesday Only

Fresh Cottage Cheese, 1 lb. **10c**

Ground, Goat Milk **79c**

Woodward's Delicious Please Bring Your Own Container, lb. **19c**

Saltwater Steak, Each **28c**

—On the Lower Main Floor

FRESH MEATS

On Sale Wednesday Only Commercial Quality Beef

Woodward's Minced Beef, lb. **21c**

Steak, lb. **23c**

Steak and Kidney (cut up) lb. **24c**

Lean Pork Steak, lb. **24c**

—On the Lower Main Floor



"You don't think Eva could have made a mistake, do ya, Sarge?"

The Bulletin's SPORT SHOW by Hal Dea

JUST about the time they appeared headed for a win, the Edmonton Athletic Club juniors came apart and Canadians chased across five goals in seven minutes to make it seven league successes in a row at 119 Street rink on Monday night.

For more than two periods the Clubmen looked better than any time this season. They were skating well and although out-shot in the middle session and early part of the third, were progressing nicely when the Canucks struck for the tying counter with less than nine minutes remaining.

Until near the close of play when three penalties were imposed in two and a half minutes, the game had been one of the cleanest of the season, only five players being banished and all for very minor infractions. Ralph Hansch had to handle 17 shots in the third period, as against two in the first and 13 in the second. E. A. Cees fired a total of 14 at Alex. Cavalli, four in the first heat and five in each of the next two.

KEN COX HAS 23 POINTS

KEN COX came up with only one scoring point last night and as a result his average per game received a jolt. However, the Canadian centre now has a total of 23 for eight sessions.

Jim Fleming, Cyril Thomas and Jim Slugg helped themselves to three points each. Fleming, second to Cox in the league, boosted his aggregate to 15. Thomas has nine and Slugg seven, the same as Arnold Armstrong and John Rypien, who secured just singletons. Christy Christenson's total is five and Harvey Green has three.

Ivan Krook, who bagged his first goal of the year against Saskatoon in Lloydminster last Saturday, made some history for himself by snaring his initial league counter Monday night. Bernie O'Connor who has not played in all games also has one point and Harold Payne two.

Bill Ingram, leading scorer for

the E.A.Cees helped his total by two last night, being in on both of his club's goals. Bill now has nine points, a splendid showing for a defenceman. Jack Brown is next high for the Clubmen with four. Pet Petaske has three, Graham Cragg and Joe Trofimuk two, and Chris Cairns and Alex Senio once each.

HERE AND THERE... CAGERS from 402nd Service Squadron ran in eight points during the final quarter to four collected by their opponents in getting under the wire in front of No. 2 A.O.S. by 25-23 last night. Larry Chaffield, usually one of the top scorers collected eight in the game, just one under Little, who was high for the night. Sgt. James Epperson is official scorekeeper for 402 S.Q. and Lt. Art Oswald is coach of the team.

City Men's Basketball League returns to Westglan for the regular Tuesday doubleheader this evening, after having played at Garneau last week. There are only about two weeks still remaining in the league schedule, with most of the teams just having a pair of games left.

Coach Bill Draver is taking his E.A.C. juniors to Camrose for a game against the team in that town on Saturday night. Canadians and H.M.C.S. Nonsuch will be the junior attraction on 119 Street ice that evening. Navy and E.A.Cees play a league fixture on Wednesday.

Losing baseballs over the fence at Renfrew Park in the summer and pucks over the 119 Street rink boards in the winter are just a couple of Bill Harris' worries. The Junior Hockey League director had to dig down for four new rubber discs last night to replace the quarter which sailed into the wide open spaces, two doing the disappearing act in the final period.

"Fargo Express" Petrolle

Former Great Lightweight Now Duluth Business Man

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 1.—(AP)—The little man in the Indian blanket is now Mr. William Petrolle. At 39, the Fargo Express, terror of the lightweight and welterweight divisions before his retirement a decade ago, now is a Duluth business man.

The Billy Petrolle who owned the best left hook of his fist-cuffing days is chairman of the board of directors of the Duluth Ornamental Iron and Steel Company, and was recently elected to a similar post by the Pioneer National Bank of West Duluth.



Billy Petrolle

Petrolle, who started his fistic career in Fargo, N.D., under the guidance of Jack Hurley, moved here after he was well up among the elite of his profession.

Today Petrolle is the father of two daughters, Kathleen Annette, 16, and Joann, nine. He married Antoinette Rich, a Duluth girl, in 1926.

The modest Petrolle thinks his own ability and his adherence to training rules was responsible for only 10 per cent of his success. The other 90 belongs to Hurley.

In 1926, Eddie (Kid) Wagner of

Philadelphia, the No. 1 lightweight challenger, agreed to fight the then-unknown Petrolle. Wagner out-galoped Petrolle most of the way, but the Fargoan caught up in the final minute of the 10th round and flattened the Philadelphia. Petrolle was on the way.

He retired in 1929, but after a long rest he started a comeback and the real Petrolle blossomed out.

Tony Canzoneri was the first big name fighter listed on the Petrolle comeback tour. Petrolle beat Canzoneri in a 10-rounder but later Canzoneri got revenge.

Then followed a loss to Jack (Kid) Berg, the British belter and a victory over Jimmy McLarnin from Vancouver, B.C. From there Petrolle went on to knock out Billy Townsend, Eddie Ran, Justo Suarez, Bad Battalino, King Tut, Bep Van Kleveren and Stanislaw Loza.

A chipped bone forced Petrolle to undergo an operation on his left elbow. The famous left hook lost its wallop, and he was beaten by McLarnin, Canzoneri and Barney Ross.

Gene Little Sets Pace

402nd Edges Out A.O.S. In Inter-Service Cage Loop

U.S. 402nd Service Squadron edged out No. 2 Air Observer School 25-23 in a close Inter-Service Basketball League game played in the drill hall at No. 3 "M" Depot Monday night.

Only four members of the winning team entered the game. Gene Little leading with nine points, while Larry Chaffield came through with eight, Joe Diamond ix and Merlin Withrow two.

Gerry Bicknell and FO. Dick Wright led the A.O.S. quad with eight counters each, the other marksmen being Hotsen with three and Bennett and Floyd with two apiece.

The game was one of the closest of the season in the service loop, and neither side was ever ahead more than four points. The Observers took a 9-8 lead in the first quarter, but Lt. Art Oswald's club came back in the second to tie it up at 13-13 at half-time.

A.O.S. went ahead again in the third session and were leading 19-17 at the three-quarter mark, but again the winners came back, this time adding eight to the losers' four.

Hundreds of women now serving with the Canadian Women's Army Corps will be fitted to enter specialized industry after the war, as a direct result of their army training.

Basketball Tilts

Westglan Tonight

The powerful U.S. Quarter-master squad will take on the Varsity club tonight in the second half of the Edmonton Men's Basketball doubleheader to be played at Westglan high school gym.

Aircraft Repair plays North West Division in the opener which starts at 7:30 o'clock.

Canuck Bantam

League Hockey

Two games are scheduled for the Canadian Athletic Club's bantam hockey league for this evening. South Side will play West End at 119 Street rink from 6 to 7 o'clock and Stadium meets Calder on the Calder Community Club ice from 7 to 8.

E. A. C. Juniors

To Play Camrose

Edmonton Athletic Club's junior hockey team will go to Camrose for a game on Saturday night.

Arrows Practice

The Arrows team of the E.A.C. Pee-Wee Hockey League will work out on Friday at 6 p.m. sharp at the Stadium rink.

Junior Hockey Loop Leaders Overhaul Clubmen in Last Period Drive

Canadians Beat E.A.C. 6-2 for 7 Straight

Leafs Tounce E.A.C. by 5-1 Juvenile Loop

With Jimmy King assisting in three, the league leading Maple Leafs tounced Edmonton Athletic Club 5-1 in a juvenile hockey loop game at the 96 street rink Monday night. The win gave the Leafs a six point margin over the E.A.Cees.

Bud McPherson and Chuck Wallis bagged two goals apiece for the winners and Red Heron tallied the other. Terry Cavanagh scored the lone E.A.C. marker on a pass from Ronnie Lane.

McPherson opened the counting at the 3:00 minute mark of the first period and Cavanagh tied it up midway through the canto. Wallis finished off a play with Delmer Wagner and King, and McPherson fired a blue-line shot in the second period to make it 3-1 for the Maple Leafs going into the final period.

The winners dominated the counting in the third session also and went on to drive two more into the E.A.C. net. Heron made it 4-1 at 7:00 on an assist from King and the latter passed to Wallis with only two minutes to go to finish off the scoring.

LINEUPS

E.A.C.—Defence, Pettenger, Olsen, Carr, MacDonnell, Lane, Cavanagh, Grant, Manson, Benkie, Blyth, Krook, Simmons.

Maple Leafs—Lettain, Heron, Harvie, Jones, McCarey, Finlay, McPherson, Thomas, Christian, King, Wagner, Wallis, Klesco.

Referee—George Harvey.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Maple Leafs, McPherson (Thomas), 3:00; 2, E.A.C., Cavanagh (Lane), 4:00.

Second period—3, Maple Leafs, Wallis (Wagner, King), 10:00; 4, Maple Leafs, McPherson, 13:00.

Third period—5, Maple Leafs, Heron (King), 7:00; 6, Maple Leafs, Wallis (King), 18:00.

Barss Dimock

Leading Scorer

Interfac Loop

Barss Dimock of Med-Dents with a total of 19 points from seven goals and 12 assists is leading scorer in the University Inter-Faculty Hockey League according to figures announced on Monday night by Stan Moher, director.

Tied for second place, each with 16 points are Bruce MacKay and Paul Drouin, also of Med-Dents, while Bill Dimock of Engineers is fourth with 13.

Bob Schrader, Frank Quigley and Jim Taylor are high for Arts-Ag-Com-Law each with eight points.

Bruce MacKay is leading goal-getter with 12 and Barss Dimock heads the assist list also with 12.

Following are the leaders:

Barss Dimock, Med-Dents, 7 12 19
Bruce MacKay, Med-Dents, 12 4 16
Paul Drouin, Med-Dents, 11 5 16
Bill Dimock, Eng., 10 3 13
Harry Jones, Med-Dents, 2 7 9
R. Schrader, Arts-Ag-Com-Law, 4 4 8
F. Quigley, Arts-Ag-Com-Law, 4 4 8
Art Fraser, Med-Dents, 3 3 6
Jim Taylor, Arts-Ag-Com-Law, 3 3 6
G. Proctor, Eng., 3 3 6
John Collier, Arts-Ag-Com-Law, 2 2 4

Starlets Trounce

Aircraft 61-23

In Cage Fixture

Starlets came through with another victory in the City Girls Basketball League Monday night when they trounced Aircraft Repair 61-23 at the McDougall school gym.

Connie Strachan, Dot Bolander and May Pringle paced the winners, Strachan marking up 13 points and Bolander and Pringle 12 each. Ruth Moore led the Aircraft girls with seven counters.

Starlets out-scored the losers 18-5 in the first quarter and went on to gain a 33-9 lead at half time by adding 15 to Aircraft Repair's four in the second frame.

The winners continued at a fast pace in the second half and marked up 28, 16 in the third canto and 12 in the last, while they held the losers to six in the third and eight in the fourth.

LINEUPS

Starlets—Connie Strachan (13); Gladys Limming (18); Denise Callaway (4); Evelyn McCormick (4); Helen Eckert (2); Frances Fraser (4); Dot Bolander (12); Mary Pringle (12); Phoebe Foster (4); Total, 61.
Aircraft Repair—Ruth Moore (7); Jean Hignett (8); Kay Elliott (5); Elliott, "Bubbles" Ferrer (4); Winnie Chambers (4); Total, 23.
Referee, Eda Dann.

Next games—Friday at Y.W.C.A.—Aces vs. Spruce Grove and Bees vs. Bissell.

Curling

ALBERTA AVENUE CLUB

(Phone 73386)

MONDAY'S RESULTS

Kingbury 13, McDonald 8; Jon 9, Engley 8; Hutchinson 13, Bones 7; Morrison 11, Atkins 12; Beccer 6, 10; Gordon 8, Latta 9; Tweed 9, Hogg 8; Shaw 7, Longmuir 9.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

Jennings vs. Allen, Gregor vs. McLean, Longmuir vs. McMurray, Hamilton vs. Hughes, R. L. Smith vs. V. Smith, Swan vs. Edmond.

MONDAY'S RESULTS

Fitzgerald 12, Keys 11; Price 13, Milne 17; Dr. Anderson 15, Dr. McRie 18; O'Callaghan 12, Rice 15; Dr. Dinsworth 15, Murray 17; Deaton 11, MacFarlane 12; Nelson 5, Dr. Watson 13; Ritchie 13, Walrow 16; Hill 8, L. McIntyre 10.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

Ice No. 1, Rose vs. Willis; 2, Lee vs. Aircraft Repair; 3, Browne vs. Hauff; 4, H. T. Anderson vs. Dunbar; 5, Cairns vs. N. D. Maclean; 6, Gerrie vs. J. R. McIntyre; 7, Grenkie vs. Hoar; 8, Gagnon vs. Manahan; 9, Menden vs. Staples; 10, MacRae vs. Sinclair.



Mildred "Babe" Didrikson Zaharias, greatest all-round woman athlete, recently returned to amateur status by the U.S.G.A., is setting her sights on winning both tennis and golf national championships this year. Looks in form to turn the double trick.

'Peg Rangers Are Winless

Junior Monarchs, Esquires

Likely Manitoba Finalists

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1.—(CP)—With the playoffs just around the corner, Winnipeg Monarchs and Winnipeg Esquires appear destined to fight it out for the Manitoba junior hockey title now held by Winnipeg Rangers, 1943 dominion champions.

Both Monarchs and Esquires are currently setting the pace in their respective divisions. The Regals lead the south with an eight-point margin over St. James Canadians, the Eskies the north with a similar point margin over a Canadian Ukrainian Athletic Club.

Monarchs, who have lost five players through service postings since the season started, still manage to go on winning and have registered nine victories compared with five for St. James. Esquires have 12 wins and a tie, and C.U.A.C. nine wins and a tie.

Champions of their circuits last season, Winnipeg Rangers in the south and St. Boniface Athletic in the north, are way off the pace. Rangers have been unable to register a win in nine starts and although Athletics have been on the winning side in five encounters they still are 15 points behind fast stepping Esquires.

O.S. Tommy Fowler and Johnny Fargher, Monarch forwards, are leading in the south division scoring honors, Fargher with 25 points and Fowler with 23. Fowler combines nine goals with 14 assists, Fargher 17 goals and eight assists. Howie Spencer, Esquires' most potent marksman tops north division scorers with 23 goals and 10 assists.

Port Arthur West Ends and Port Arthur H.M.C.S. Griffon share first place in the Thunder Bay junior league with four wins apiece. Port Arthur Flyers follow with three wins, Port William Columbus club trails with none. Jack Marshall of West Ends and O.S. Pentti Lund of H.M.C.S. Griffon are individual scoring leaders, each with 19 points.

Port Arthur Shipbuilders lead 2-1 in a lakehead senior hockey series against Port William Canadian Car. Both clubs star several players from the 1943 Port Arthur Bearcats, including Norm Larson, Norm Wright, Don Eaton and Bill McKenzie.

Fours Reached

In Main Events

At Saskatoon

SASKATOON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Semi-finalists were decided in three of the four main events of the 40th annual Saskatoon bonspiel program Monday.

J. H. Ripley, Mervin, who started the day without a loss in the open events, reached the finals in the Hudson's Bay Grand Challenge by defeating C. B. Nutana, 7-6 in 13 ends but lost his match going to the jewelry in the Pinder Trophy to George Shaw, Rosetown, by 11-9. Shaw defeated Ripley in the Star-Phoenix, the visitors' competition.

The semi-finalists in the Grand Challenge are Percy Clement, Granite, who defeated Percy Dixon, Kindersley, in a 13-end game, Bill Gray, Granite, who triumphed over Andy Taylor, Nutana, Ripley, and Stan Glover, Granite, who eliminated G. Casey, Wartime.

Andy Andreen, Granite, Bill Kinsman, Nutana, Ossie Joye, Nutana, and George Shaw, Rosetown, are the semi-finalists in the Birks, while Jack Lovik, Granite, M. Ryals, Canwood, O. S. Olson, Bradwell, and Drummond, Druid, are in the fours of the Birks.

LINEUPS

E.A.C.—Hansch, W. Ingram, Cragg, Cairns, Brown, Petaske, Trofimuk, Gaufr, Senio, L. Milner, Sylvester, S. Milner, Goudout, Thorne.

Canadians—Cavalli, Green, Krook, Slugg, Armstrong, Thomas, Cox, Christenson, Fleming, Rypien.

Officials: W. Runge, H. Wismer.

SUMMARY

First period: 1—E.A.C., Brown (Petaske, Ingram), 10:44. Penalties: Cragg (3), Krook.

Second period: 2—Canadians, Slugg

Canucks Net Five Goals In 3rd Canto

AFTER trailing for most of the game, Canadian Athletic Club drove in five goals in the last nine minutes to overcome the E.A.C. squad 6-2 at 119 street rink on Monday night. It was the seventh successive Junior Hockey League triumph for the circuit leaders, who now hold a seven-point margin over the second place Navy team.

Jim Slugg contributed two of the goals for the winners, the others going to Ivan Krook, Jim Fleming, John Rypien and Arnold Armstrong, with Cyril Thomas assisting in three. Jack Brown and Alex Trofimuk scored for the Clubmen and Bill Ingram drawing an assist each time.

Brown gave the E.A.C. boys the lead half through the initial period and after Slugg had evened the count early in the second, Trofimuk put the league leaders out in front again. Krook secured the equalizer on a three-way effort with Fleming and Ken Cox at 11:31 in the final session after Slugg converted a pass from Thomas to give his club the advantage for the first time, Canadians ran in three more.

Looking better than in any game yet, the E.A.C. juniors easily held their own in the opening period and although they got in just four goals at Alex Cavalli, the Canadian goalie, that was exactly twice as many as the Canucks tossed at Ralph Hansch.

Graham Cragg was chased for tripping Thomas early in the game, but even with a man short the Clubmen went on the offensive. Pete Petaske got right in once but Cavalli saved and when Krook went off for tripping E.A.C.'s renewed the pressure.

Petaske hit the post once, but Jack Brown, eventually put Coach Bill Drever's squad out in front when he took Petaske's pass and beat Cavalli from the side at 10:44. Bill Ingram had carried the puck down.

Hansch made a great save from Cox and when Cragg was penalized for tripping Rypien, Canadians pressed but without result. Armstrong lifted the puck right out of the rink when in close just as the period ended.

Canadians were down 2-1 at the conclusion of the middle period, but they did much of the attacking and outshot the opposition 13 to five. They got back on even footing just before the four-minute mark when Thomas carried the puck through the defence, circled the net and passed out to Slugg. Hansch stopped the first shot, but the Canucks eventually got the rubber into the net.

"Syb" Thorne almost beat Cavalli on a breakaway and Ingram got through, but there was nobody to pick up his goal-mouth pass. Cragg and Ingram were putting up a nice barricade. Fleming eventually got in a shot and so did Cox from Rypien and Hansch made a fine save from Slugg.

Ingram gave E.A.C.'s the lead again when he went down the right boards and passed over to Alex Trofimuk who beat Cavalli with a waist-high shot at 18:12.

Canadians started off the final period with a sustained attack and they fired 17 shots at Hansch to five for E.A.C.'s during the 20 minutes.

The Clubmen held onto their lead until 11:31. Cox initiated the play which resulted in the tying goal. He eventually passed to Fleming who relayed to Krook for the counter.

In less than two minutes Slugg gave Canadians the winner when he finished off a rush with Thomas. E.A.C.'s were short one man when Fleming raised the total to 4-2 at 14:45. Cairns having been banished.

Bill Ingram went off for tripping Rypien and while he was "resting" Canadians scored again, Rypien netting from Fleming.

Final Canadian goal went to Arnold Armstrong at 18:30, on a three-way effort with Thomas and Slugg. The latter passed to Thomas who hit the goal-post and Armstrong went in fast to shove the puck in.

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Annual Event Starts Feb. 7

Total of 20 Outside Rinks Already Entered in Bonspiel

WITH 20 out-of-town rinks entered up to Monday, the number of visiting skips attending the 27th annual bonspiel of the Alberta Curling Association which commences next Monday, Feb. 7, is expected to exceed the 41, which was last year's total.

Secretary Jim McCool stated last night that five more visiting skips sent in their entries over the week-end, these being Bert Robinson and W. H. (Bill) Brinkwater of Jasper, G. F. Purvis, Crossfield; "Buster" Shaw, Vegreville and Mah Bow, Ponoka, the latter being an "all-Chinese" rink.

Other outside rinks previously entered include Bill Rose, Sedgewick; J. G. Murray, Sedgewick; T. Lee and C. L. Larson, LaGlac; J. V. Ferry, Cadogan; I. Kalla, Eckville; Dr. L. R. Gamey, Sexsmith; A. Jeffery, Vegreville; W. L. Friend, Botha; Wm. Moldovan, Cadomin; George Duncan, Grande Prairie; Father Rooney and D. C. Smith, Westlock; H. R. McConchie, Cochrane; and J. A. LaBrie, Athabasca.

City skips entered up to Monday were George Light, Edmonton club; W. G. Townsley, Alberta Ave., and Bob Price, Royal.

Secretary McCool states that unless the total number exceeds 64, there will be no need to have more than four draws a day, in spite of the fact that only 16 sheets will be available this year—10 at the Royal and six at Alberta Ave.

Headquarters will be at the Royal George hotel.

The rule regarding starting on time will be strictly enforced this year, with one point for every 10 minutes to be charged against the rink not ready to go at the appointed time. This will be enforced on all draws and an umpire will be at each rink to definitely see that the regulation is carried out in all cases.

Rinks made up of members from the armed forces will be admitted on the same basis as visiting quartets.

One new trophy will be up for competition, this being the Price-Andrews, which will take the place of the Jackson Bros. cup.

First prize in the Edmonton Motors (city championship) event will consist of four pairs of curling stones, thus bringing it into line with the Calgary Brewing (Visitors).

Following is the complete list of prizes:
EDMONTON BREWERIES TROPHY
Grand Challenge. First prize, four \$23 War Savings Certificates (courtesy Edmonton Breweries Ltd.); second prize, four silver entree dishes (courtesy Reed's Gift Shop); third prize, four silver meat platters (courtesy Taylor & Pearson Ltd., and Gainers Limited); fourth prize, four silver rose bowls (courtesy Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Ltd.).

KING EDWARD HOTEL TROPHY
First prize, four Well and Tree silver platters (courtesy King Edward Hotel); second prize, four silver cut glass juice sets (courtesy Woodland Dairy Ltd.); third prize, four upholstered Ottoman radio benches (courtesy Wm. Troch); fourth prize, four Venetian plate glass mirrors (courtesy F. W. Woolworth Co., Ltd.).

NORTH WEST BREWERY TROPHY
First prize, four \$15 War Savings Certificates (courtesy North West Brewing Co., Ltd.); second prize, four \$10 merchandise certificates (courtesy Hudson's Bay Company); third prize, four side chairs (courtesy Royal George and Leland Hotels); fourth prize, four one-dozen cases Burns Spork (courtesy Burns & Co., Ltd.).

BANK OF MONTREAL TROPHY
First prize, four fancy coffee tables, walnut (courtesy Bank of Montreal); second prize, four walnut coffee tables (courtesy Blouwe, Henry Ltd.); third prize, four metal hostess trays (courtesy Dominion Motors Ltd.); fourth prize, four 12-in. Old English reproduction reliquaries (courtesy Marshall Wells Alberta Co., Ltd.).

T. EATON COMPANY TROPHY
First prize, four occasional chairs (courtesy T. Eaton Co., Western Ltd.); second prize, four wool lined Parka coats (courtesy The Wool's Shop); third prize, four silver canteens (courtesy Henry Birks & Sons, Ltd.); fourth prize, four "Smile" felt hats (courtesy Smith Hat Shop).

GAS COMPANY TROPHY
First prize, four dress pavers (courtesy Northwestern Utilities Ltd.); second prize, four Silux

Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy

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NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Post-war planning is the chief subject for consideration at the major league meetings, which started Saturday in New York; but the increasingly acute player shortage may provide an immediate problem that will take precedence over post-war plans.

A publicity stunt boomeranged Saturday night when press agents prevailed upon Sgt. Louis to pose with his estranged wife, Marva, and piteously approve of her singing tour. . . . Shortly after the lens lids departed, Louis kayaked the reconciliation photos by announcing flatly that he and Marva would have to get a divorce "sooner or later."

Despite the inroads by the armed services upon major league ball players, President Ford Frick of the National League asserted last night that his circuit will have enough manpower to operate during 1944.

He disclosed that his division lists 88 players who are 4-F (physical rejects), 4-H (over 38) or 1-C (honorably discharged). . . . This is an average of 11 per club. . . . In addition, he emphasized, the clubs are signing many youngsters below draft age.

A proposal to amend the law governing boxing and wrestling in New York state to permit 17-year-olds to participate professionally was scheduled to be introduced in the state legislature last night. . . . It is sponsored by Assemblyman John J. Lamula.

MAY COACH GRID TEAM

Commander Oscar "Swede" Hagberg is believed to be enroute from the Pacific theatre of naval operations to take over the head football coaching job at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, succeeding Capt. John Whelchel, who has been shifted to other duties. . . . Hagberg did a grand job as skipper of a submarine in Japanese waters. . . . His 1944 navy team should be the strongest in the east.

The mile run again will command most attention at the Millrose games here Saturday night.

Entries have been received from Bill Hulse, Gil Dodds, Dick Burnham, Dick Hall of Princeton, Ross Hume of Michigan and Rudy Simms of New York U. . . . The winning clocking is expected to be better than 4:10.

Southpaw Tony Amoreno, back in civvies after 18 months in the army, will be available for the White Sox this season. . . . When he was 15, Amoreno fanned Hack Wilson three times in a row in an exhibition game. . . . Rookie Leon Culberson of the Red Sox was the only American League player to hit for "the cycle" last season. . . . In a night game against Cleveland, July 3, Culberson got a base on balls, a single, a double, a triple and a homer.

Harlem Tommy Murphy, oldtime lightweight, is a boxing instructor for the army at Fordham U. . . . Ted Meredith, Jr., son of the former Olympic runner, is an ensign on a P-T boat in the south Pacific. . . . Ted, Jr., helps Uncle Sam round up tax delinquents in the New York area. . . . Ping Bodiean the old Yankee outfielder, is an electrician on the Universal movie lot at Los Angeles. . . . switch-hitting, maybe.

How They Stand

CITY JUNIOR LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Canadians	8	7	1	0	43	13	14
Navy	7	3	3	1	18	24	7
E. A. C.	9	1	7	1	18	42	3

CITY JUVENILE LEAGUE

	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Maple Leafs	6	1	1	29	15	13
E. A. C.	3	4	1	22	27	7
South Side	2	4	2	20	23	6
Canadians	1	3	4	21	27	6

GIRLS



"Oh—but I'd LIKE to talk with him, Dear. Aren't those with the stripes the ones you said were prisoners?"

With The Pin Busters

ROYAL LADIES
High single—Gibson, 201, Spares; high double—Gibson, 364.
High team single—Royalty, 782; high team two—Royalty, 1462.

N.A.R.A.G.T.
High single—Waite, 280, Gongs; high double—Soley, 431.
High team single—Standards, 971; high team two—Gongs, 1828.

N.W.S.R.
High single—J. Millan, 242; high triple—McMillan, 535.
High team single—Hawks, 828; high team three—Hawk, 2332.

R.C.A.F. OFFICERS
High single—Crawford, 329, No. 3 Bombers; high triple—Crawford, 721.
High team single—Highlands, 704; high team three—No. 3 Bombers, 2975.

MONDAY NIGHT MIXED
High single—P. Giffen, 339, Hot Shots; high triple—Giffen, 794.
High team single—Hot Shots, 1114; high team three—Clippers, 3090.

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
High single—Aylander, 267; high double—Aylander, 427.
High team single—Extension, 972; high team two—Extension, 1744.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
High single—Gray, 256; high triple—Gress, 551.
High team single—U.S.E.D., 960; high team three—Air Force Wiltie, 2690.

ACADEMY MIXED
High single—Smith, 275; high triple—Smith, 650.
High team single—Union Tractor, 880; high team three—Nerts, 2386.

MERCANTILE 10 PINS
High single—H. Soyer, 233; high triple—Gibb, 613.
High team single—C. N. Calder, 974; high team three—Motor Mechanics, 2864.

YOUNG PEOPLES
High single—R. Erdman, 241; high double—M. Connolly, 394.
High team single—Highlands, 704; high team three—Bissell "A", 1324.

T. EATON TROPHY
Standings including January 29:
J. D. Rutherford 25 points, J. O. Smith 18, Mrs. Rentoul 15, W. Hall 15, S. Blair 14, R. English 14, J. McCullum 13, D. Cavanagh 13, P. Giffen 12, H. Doughty 10, D. Taylor 11, P. Poole 9, J. Bowstead 9, J. Stewart 8, J. B. J. Stewart 8, J. Whidden 6, Fleming 6, J. Price 7, M. Thompson 7, M. Stewart 7, W. Taylor 7, R. McCreadie 6, Mrs. Hicks 6, J. Whidden 6, Mrs. McNabb 6, D. Lloyd 6, B. Cavanagh 6, Miss Graham 6, M. Parry 6, A. McDonald 5, L. Frith 5, D. H. McCullum 4, I. Cameron 4, W. Ramsey 4, W. Newson 4, G. Barker 4, P. Yanew 3, M. Templeton 3, B. Bruce 3, M. Windsor 3, R. Smith 3, H. T. Howard 3, M. Haddad 2, M. Goven 2, V. Barth 2, G. Coward 1, J. Myler 1, Sgt. Oakenfold 1.

Doug Bentley Now In Fourth Place

MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Herb Cain, Boston, got one assist Saturday night when Detroit walloped Bruins 6-1 to put himself in a first-place tie with Lorne Carr of Toronto, on the National Hockey League's high-scoring list.

Doug Bentley, Chicago, picked up two goals and one assist when Hawks defeated Toronto 4-3 Saturday night and Detroit 3-2 Sunday night, to put himself in fourth place which was previously held by his teammate Billie Mosenko.

Leaders: G. A. Pts
Cain, Boston 27 56
L. Carr, Toronto 26 56
Coville, Boston 19 32
D. Bentley, Chicago 23 50
Mosenko, Chicago 23 49
C. Smith, Chicago 15 32
Lach, Canadiens 12 46

Hockey Results

CITY JUNIOR LEAGUE
Canadians 6, E.A.C. 2.

CITY JUVENILE LEAGUE
Maple Leafs 5, E.A.C. 1.
South Side 4, Canadians 4 (tie).

PACIFIC COAST SENIOR
New Westminster 4, Vancouver 2.

MANITOBA JUNIOR (South Division)
Monarchs 2, St. James Canadians 1.

LAKEHEAD JUNIOR
Port Arthur Flyers 5, Fort William 2.
Port Arthur West Ends 3, H.M.C.S. Griffon 3 (overtime tie).

Believe It Or Not

By Robt. Ripley

Now Worth \$50,000,000

Noted Turfman, Bill Helis Started Out as Dishwasher

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—(AP)—This is a story about a Greek who started out in a restaurant. In 1904 William George Helis, the big noise in racing right now, came to the United States and got a job washing dishes in a New York eatery. But he learned fast that there was a lot more money in digging oil out of the ground than in the restaurant business.

So he headed for the Oklahoma oil fields, then to California and finally hit the jackpot in Louisiana. Now, he's probably the richest oil man in Louisiana, with a fortune estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$50,000,000.

A year ago the turf "bug" bit him and he has put \$500,000 or so into developing a stable that figures to be the hottest thing around in the next few years. Last year alone he bought up 49 yearlings, one for \$66,000.

Last Saturday he bought Rounders, Valinda Albert and Valinda Zenith in what is figured to be a \$80,000 deal with Henry Knight, the Blue Grass breeding veteran. This trio was among the 149 horses Knight bought in taking over the entire Valinda farm racing outfit for an estimated \$500,000, the biggest single transaction in United States turf history.

Helis' big racing dream is to own a Kentucky Derby winner. His latest buy could possibly turn out to be just that. For Frank Podesta who managed the vast Valinda farm and arranged the deal with Knight said last fall that the British-bred Valinda Zenith is the best-looking three-year-old prospect he's seen in a decade.

Tippy to Replace Angott Feb. 9

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Tippy Larkin, Garfield (N.J.) battler of the lightweight class, will engage Lulu Constantino for a 10-round bout in Madison Square Garden Feb. 9, taking the place of Sammy Angott, it was announced Saturday. Angott, who was scheduled for the fight, is suffering from a leg injury made worse by his fight with Beau Jack at the Garden last Friday.

Moose Jaw which once produced players like Nick and Don Metz, Buzz Boll, Ken Doraty, Elmer Kreller, have given their youth to the services and war plants. Only in Wilcox is there an effort to keep hockey alive. There Father Murray, long the sponsor of youthful sport, has organized a four-team league.

Incidentally: Extension of the service ban to all interprovincial sports upset New Brunswick basketball calculations. The senior game in that province was knocked kicking because the only two senior clubs were air force teams at Seaside and Penfield. The entire intermediate schedule requires revision. Four civilian intermediate teams remain, two in Saint John and one each in Fredericton and Moncton. . . . Jimmy Ward, former Montreal Maroons star, is refereeing minor hockey on Montreal outdoor rinks. . . . Elmer (Montreal Herald) Ferguson recalls one of the great scorers of hockey was the late Marty Walsh of Ottawa. Walsh scored 42 goals in 12 games in 1909, playing with the Ottawa Stanley Cup champions. That same year Chubby Power of Quebec finished fourth in scoring with 21 goals. Chubby now is Canada's air minister.

It is estimated that some engines in use on Canadian railways build up a mileage of 16,000 miles in 30 days.

CANADIAN SPORTSHOTS

By CHARLIE EDWARDS

TORONTO, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Doug Vaughan of the Windsor Star has uncovered new evidence of hockey's anticipated rapid growth in United States. Doug quotes Franklin Lewis, sports editor of the Cleveland Press: "It seems to me that hockey, more than any other sport, is adding fans in these troubled years."

Lewis anticipates terrific expansion of hockey after the war, even to the extent of endangering baseball as the United States major sport. He says football may have a hand. He refers to professional football's August-through December season, envisages lengthening of the hockey season into May and comments:

"Unless baseball meets the challenge of hockey through April and even through May and of football through August and September, the so-called national sport may be a June-July affair, as far as its monopoly is concerned. Baseball now is no longer a daily sport. It's a night, week-end novelty attraction. "Comes the revolution and more fun, I'll guarantee."

Soo, Soo, Baby: One of the famous old hockey circuits of the west, the Soo Line League in Southern Saskatchewan, has vanished with the war. Towns between Estevan and

Injured Leg Three Years Ago

Johnny Pollard, Ex-Local Jock Returns to Racing at Hialeah

By JACK CUDDY

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NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Every once in a while, a champion comes back—and that's news!

A champion we know is getting ready to start up the long, bumpy come-back trail right now. A tall, skinny red-haired champ named Johnny Pollard.

If you think real hard, you're sure to remember him. A few years ago, Johnny had a leg up on Charles S. Howard's Seabiscuit, and pulled him up at the winner's circle many a time before the long-tailed Whirlaway took over.

He piloted the brown son of Hard Tack to a bank roll of \$437,730. That was tops before Whirly went to the all-time crest in 1942.

Well, Johnny Pollard has been missing from the back stretch for three years, but he didn't stop being a champion on his own accord. It happened in "Red" Pollard 1940, shortly after he had ridden the "Biscuit" to victory in the Santa Anita handicap.

Johnny was belted up on the rail one morning when a friend came along astride a thoroughbred. As the friend pulled up and jumped to the ground, Pollard clapped him on the back and said:

"Hold my coat for me, and I'll breeze him for you. Then you can take me to breakfast."

Whereupon Red pulled off his jacket and leaped aboard the horse.

They had gone a sixteenth when the horse was possessed with an ornery streak and did a "wing ding" over the rail. That's the last Johnny remembers.

IN HOSPITAL
He got no breakfast that morning. When he came to, he was in a hospital with a badly crushed leg.

For many months afterward he was in a New England hospital. The medicals performed operation after operation on that leg.

The doctors wagged their heads sadly and doubted if Johnny would ever walk again. Much less boot another bangtail down the straight-away.

But the medical men didn't calculate the stuff from which champions are made.

Johnny said to himself that he would walk again and that he would ride again. He knew it wouldn't be easy, and it wasn't, but he didn't give up.

Well, word comes from Hialeah way that Pollard, the old redhead—his 34 years old now—is able to sit a saddle again. He's been taking it easy, just exercising the horses in the early morning. But Red announces that he soon will return to the barrier as a free lance rider.

The Edmonton, Alberta saddle-smith has been in the business for over 15 years. He came to the races in 1925 while working for Bert



Johnny Pollard



MRS. Jane Howard Booth
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IN 84 YEARS

She lived 100 years

A DUCK
Owned by W. H. Allen, 616, 1A
LIVED 100 YEARS

Etahi tekau me te onohu me te ra ke etahi
MEANS "31" IN MARQUESEAN LANGUAGE

U.S.-Canadian Armies to Meet "In Tea Bowl"

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Teams representing the Canadian and United States armies will clash in a football game here Feb. 13—in the "tea bowl."

The Canadian squad will include: Maj. Dennis Whitaker and Capt. "Huck" Welch of Hamilton Tiger fame; Capt. Bill Drinkwater, former Toronto Balmy Beach stalwart; Capt. Paul Rowe who used to perform for Calgary Bronks; Lieut. Orville Burke, former Ottawa

Roughriders; two one-time St. Oilers—Lieut. Nick Palthouski and Capt. Alex Hayes—and M. F. Ryan, former intercollegiate performer with the University of Minnesota. The Canucks will be coached by Capt. E. H. Leather.

United States coach will be Lieut. Charles Eisenmann, and Yankee captain will be Pie. Frank Debrovski. Former stars of Purdue, Wisconsin, Texas, Detroit and Columbia Universities will be in the lineup.

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"TRUE TO THE ARMY"

District News in Brief

Stettler Installs Rebekah Officers

STETTLER.—Magnolia Rebekah Lodge installed the new officers for 1944 with Mrs. C. Lausen, district deputy president, acting as installing officer. The new officers are as follows: Mrs. Lila Hilker, P.N.G.; Mrs. Dorothy Johnson, N.G.; Mrs. Kay Webster, V.G.; Mrs. E. Jolley, conductor; Mrs. Gladys Judd, chaplain; Mrs. Martha Spence, organist; Mrs. E. Todd, secretary; Mrs. George Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. E. McEneaney, warder; Miss Martha Wendt, treasurer; Mrs. N. Moe, inside guard; Mrs. A. Campbell, outside guard; Mrs. Susan Robinson, R.S.N.G.; Mrs. E. Hales, L.S.N.G.; Mrs. E. Moe, R.S.V.G.; and Miss Anna Jensen, L.S.V.G.

Two memorial tablets were unveiled at the United church containing the names of 115 men and women of the church who are serving in the armed forces. Duncan Gardiner gave a fitting address to the large congregation in attendance.

A hockey game played recently between the Stettler Juniors and the Wall Lake Farmers ended in a 3-3 tie. S. Gustafson refereed the game.

The annual Stettler Spring Horse sale will be held Saturday, March 25 and it promises to be bigger and better than ever. F. F. Colley is president and A. E. Morrison secretary of the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rohrer, old-timers of Stettler, celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary this month and a large number of friends called to extend congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Rohrer are both over 75 years old and in excellent health.

Several prominent farmers in the district have purchased homes in town. Among them are Mr. and Mrs. John Kahl, of Donald; Mr. and Mrs. J. Bender, of Stettler; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rohrer, of Stettler; and Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Irwin, of Botha.

Bowden Scholars Receive Prizes

BOWDEN.—Last Sunday, Jan. 23 the prizes for attendance for 1943 were awarded to the scholars of Bowden United Church Sunday school, as follows: senior girls, Betty Pool; senior boys, Billy Hayes; junior girls, Mildred Pigott; junior boys, Don Bayeroff; primary, Dollie Marie Pigott. Joyce McLaren was given the prize for memorizing the most verses during the year.

At the regular meeting of the Bowden Order of the Eastern Star held recently the following officers were installed for the coming year: Mrs. K. McLaren, W.M.; J. C. Sheffield, W.P.; Mrs. John McLaren, A.M.; Mrs. Fred Cameron, secretary; Mrs. J. C. Sheffield, treasurer; Mrs. C. Jennings and Mrs. Don Murray, conveners; Mrs. C. Brewster, chaplain; Mrs. C. Berggren, marshal; Mrs. T. Fagan, musician; Miss Vona Bookless, Adah; Mrs. W. Bookless, Ruth; Mrs. Pool, Esther; Mrs. F. Radford, Martha; Mrs. A. Lausen, Electra; Mrs. J. McKenzie, Warder; Mrs. F. Anderson, sentinel.

With Those In Uniform

VERMILION.—Two Vermilion boys were listed as casualties after air operations overseas last week. They were Sgt. Ross H. Stanley, R.C.A.F., reported missing and P.O. Gordon Munroe, reported killed in action.

Petty Officer George Hobson, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mrs. J. E. Currie, who returned from many months of service in the Mediterranean area, has just spent leave at his home here and has left for new duties on the Pacific coast. P.O. Hobson took part in the landing operations on the beaches of Sicily and Italy and received special mention for taking the place of a senior officer.

RIVIERE QUI BARRE.—Pte. Wilfred J. Granger, son of A. D. Granger, has been officially reported missing in action with The Loyal Edmonton Regiment in Italy, according to word received here. Two other brothers are also serving with the Canadian Army overseas.

CORONATION.—Petty Officer M. A. McColl spent some time in hospital recently suffering a broken ankle as the result of an accident.

STETTLER.—FO. Nelson Scott, nephew of Mrs. C. L. Willis, has been officially reported killed in action in the Middle East. FO. Cameron Hay, Mrs. Hay and daughter were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hay. Ronald Cunningham, R.C.N.V.R., is home from Eastern Canada spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham. Cpl. Roy Willis who has been with a recruiting unit in Nova Scotia for the last year is now taking air crew training and he recently spent leave with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Willis here. Ben Redfern, R.C.A.F., was in town recently visiting his mother, Mrs. J. Redfern.

SEDGEWICK.—LAC. David Ayre spent leave visiting his wife, Mrs. Ayre, who is teaching at the local school. Frank Weber, R.C.A.F., spent leave with his parents here.

VEGREVILLE.—Sgt. Major Nadia Svarach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Svarach, has arrived at Kitchener, Ont., with the C.W.A.C. brass band of which she is bandmaster, according to word received by her parents. The band is preparing for another tour and Sgt.

Wounded



Pte. W. C. Fry, of Entwistle who has been officially reported wounded in action with The Loyal Edmonton Regiment in Italy. He is 20 years old. Pte. Fry was born in England and came with his family to Entwistle when just an infant. He enlisted in the Edmonton Fusiliers when only 17 years old and later was transferred to The Loyal Edmonton Regiment. His mother, Mrs. Edith Fry, received a letter from him recently stating he was a patient in an English hospital. An elder brother, Sydney Fry, also is serving in Italy with The Loyal Edmonton Regiment.

Sedgewick Group Holds Gathering

SEDGEWICK.—The Sedgewick Young People's Society entertained the young people of the Anglican church at a social evening held in the church hall.

The annual meeting of the Sedgewick United church revealed a successful year in 1943. The treasurer's report was given by J. Bergh and the report of Sunday school activities by Lindsay Hay. G. Crooks, J. Dabineth and H. B. Hay, retiring members of the church board were all re-elected. Roy Ball spent a week in Edmonton. Bob Smith has received word that his oldest brother has been killed in action overseas. Mr. and Mrs. J. Heartberg were recent visitors at the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. L. Blough returned this week from a visit to Ontario. Dave Gellately attended the Alberta Farmers' Union convention held in Edmonton last week. W. D. Murray of Camrose was a visitor here last week. L. Schmutz and A. Bradley motored north for a fishing trip.

A double-header hockey game was held here recently with three junior teams competing. Sedgewick team won over Hardisty 7-2 and then defeated the Loughhead team 6-1. Fifty members of the Sons of Norway Lodge held a surprise party in honor of A. Knutson recently. A week's mixed bonspiel was held by the local curling club. Section "B" was won by M. Baker and Section "A" by G. Crooks. In the playoffs Crooks won over Baker by a very close margin.

Major Svarach attended the Band Masters Association banquet and was presented with an honorary membership. She is the first and only woman member of the association. LAC. W. M. Leishman, Calgary, LAC. John Zanko and Sgt. C. Tymchuk are home on leave.

BASHAW.—Gnr. Noble Babcock of Camp Shilo, Man., spent leave here recently. AC2. Walter Jackshaw and AC2. Jack Morgan were also home on leave.

GLENDON.—Herbert Larson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Larson, has arrived safely overseas with the R.C.N.V.R. according to word received by his parents.

FERINTOSH.—Sgt. Ralph Saffran, air gunner of the R.C.A.F., is reported missing after air operations overseas according to word received by his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Saffran of Ferintosh.

Coronation Plans Red Cross Drive

CORONATION.—Plans for the coming national campaign for funds for the Red Cross will be made at the regular meeting of the local branch to be held in the Royal Hotel Feb. 4, at 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Edith Hood, secretary of the local Soldiers' Comfort Fund committee has received \$20 from the Brownfield Ladies' Aid and \$10 from the Throne Ladies' Aid and announces that tobacco will be sent overseas immediately.

William Wilde, Progressive Conservative provincial organizer, spoke to a meeting in the Elks' Hall recently. An organization meeting will be held in the near future.

G. A. Bunting, manager of Swift's creamery is attending a business convention of the Swift Creameries in Toronto.

In a hard fought contest on Coronation skating ice Tuesday, Veteran won a 2-0 victory over the Talbot hockey team.

The ladies' curling club is now organized and the following skippers have been chosen for the 1944 season: Gertrude Owen, Mrs. Jessup, Mrs. Stephen, Mrs. Short, Pat Bearisto and Mrs. Guillian.

Coronation Curling Club was the scene Wednesday of an aggregation of visiting curlers. The competition was for the Coronation Flour Mills trophy. Dr. Day and Mr. Bannister were skips from Consort; Matthias and Ford for Castor; Ross and Mills for Veteran; and Cook and Sharplin were local skips. Castor captured the trophy with five wins and one loss.

Gleaned From Rural News

CALMAR.—The Calmar High School hockey team remains unbeaten after a game against Westkwin High School played on Calmar ice last week when the score was 4-1 in favor of the local team. Goals for the Calmar team were made by Don Kortgard, Walter Hughes, and Melvin Hughes. A league game played between the Calmar and Millef High School teams last week resulted in another win for Calmar of 13-2. Calmar Junior team defeated the Leduc juniors 5-1 in a game played last week.

MUNDARE.—The local intermediate hockey team defeated the Hilliard school team 4-1 in a game here Sunday. Ernie Kolmas scored Hilliard's lone goal and goals netted for Mundare were by Mike Royal, Methody Hawryluk and Richard Motluk.

GLENDON.—On Thursday night, Jan. 27, a meeting was held in the Glendon Community hall in the interests of H. A. Traxler, C.C.P. candidate for parliament in the next general election. William Ewasiuk, manager of the Imperial Lumber Company, of Glendon, presided.

Dr. H. L. Bissonnette of St. Paul has been making the rounds of the Glendon district testing cattle for tuberculosis.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE.—Three citizens have suffered broken limbs during the last week as a result of icy sidewalks. Mrs. H. A. Crosby, broke her arm, Nita Gibson, broke her elbow and Donald Cowie broke his leg. Ice conditions have never been so bad. Both town streets and country roads are so slippery horses can barely travel at all and even cars and trucks have trouble.

VEGREVILLE.—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin of Turtleford, Sask., are visiting Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Tuck. Mr. and Mrs. Zannan Chillibecki of Vancouver were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. A. Chillibecki of Vegreville.

President Ormy Tremble and Vice-president A. W. Shaw attended the annual meeting of the Western Pairs Association held in Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hlynka left for Ottawa where Mr. Hlynka, member of parliament for Vegreville, will attend

LAFF A-DAY



That's a swell cake recipe she just gave, leaving out the poison, of course!

Three Brothers Serve Together



Following the lead of two other brothers already serving with Canada's fighting forces these three Clarke brothers from Thorsby recently enlisted in the Canadian Army. Left to right they are: Pte. James

Clarke, 24 years old, Pte. Neil Lloyd Clarke, 19, and Pte. Albert Clarke, 27. Their two other brothers are Glen, overseas with Calgary Highlanders, and Leslie, training as an air gunner with R.C.A.F. at Edmonton.

Hit in Action



Cpl. William Bennett, of Entwistle who was wounded in Italy recently according to word received by his wife. He is 27 years old. Born in Waskatenau, he enlisted in The Loyal Edmonton Regiment in Sept. 1939, and went overseas with the 1st Canadian Division in December of the same year. His wife and family live here, and his mother also lives in this district. He has two sisters and a brother in Edmonton and a younger sister, Mrs. E. Radcliffe recently moved to Barrhead.

the opening of parliament.

Harry Olyan left for Montreal recently to attend the Jewish Congress being held this week. Mrs. A. J. Morton has returned from Ardath, Sask., after a month's visit. George Black of Black Motors Ltd., left recently for Windsor and Detroit to attend the Ford Motors convention.

ONOWAY.—The annual meeting of the Onoway parish church was held Jan. 27, with the Rev. F. A. Peake, rector, presiding. J. W. Turnbull, was appointed rector's warden and H. Galliford was re-elected people's warden. Both wardens will represent the parish at the diocesan synod. The financial statement presented by Mr. Galliford showed gross receipts of \$815.

SYLVAN LAKE.—The annual meeting of the Sylvan Lake ratepayers was held Friday, Jan. 28, and highlights of the financial statement submitted at the meeting were: Taxes and arrears collected during last year \$14,746; camp grounds receipts, \$501; camp grounds expenditures, \$547; public works expenditures, \$5,165; and the bank balance at the end of the year, \$1,727; investments, \$2,000; arrears of taxes, \$7,802; street lighting, \$769; health unit, \$155; local physician, \$320; salary secretary-treasurer, \$215; grants: Salvation Army, \$10; Beulah Home, \$10; Institute for the Blind, \$20; Air Cadets, \$25; skating rink, \$25.

BASHAW.—The local Masonic lodge held its annual installation of officers and J. D. Murdoch acted as installing officer. Officers were: Proctor Paulson, W.M.; Cleo Sharp, I.P.M.; J. G. Pearson, S.W.; Wilfred Wilson, J.W.; J. R. Hume, treasurer; Harry Ford, secretary; Preston Sharp, S.D.; B. W. Holt, J.D.; James A. Marshall, chaplain; J. H. Pearson, D. of D.; Steve Read, I.G.; James Ansell, S.S.; M. A. Nelson, J.S.; and T. Morgan, Tyler.

More than 300 persons gathered in the Elks' hall to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. The local Elks' lodge, Canadian Legion, Eastern Star and the Masonic lodge sponsored the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Ford have resided in the Lake Bend district since 1914. After a program of songs and entertainment a presentation was made to the couple and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

A whist drive was held in the Red Cross Superfluity shop in aid of the Prisoner-of-War fund. Prize winners were: Mrs. W. Wells and Mrs. E. Howell, Mr. E. Howell and P. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall left Saturday for Ottawa where Mr. Marshall will attend the sessions of parliament.

MARWAYNE.—F. O. McGirr was elected president of the local branch of the Red Cross at the annual meeting held Jan. 25. Other officers elected were: J. G. Gage, vice-president; Mrs. J. Farrell, secretary-treasurer; executive: Mrs. J. C. Thom, Mrs. E. A. Meikijohn, H.

Follow Two Others:

Three Thorsby District Brothers Serve in Army

Three brothers from the Thorsby district, southwest of Edmonton, who have been farming together producing essential foodstuffs to aid Canada's war effort are now serving together in the Canadian Army.

The three, Privates Albert, James and Neil Lloyd Clarke, enlisted recently as active service volunteers in the Canadian Army leaving their farm where they have been doing an important job because they feel that there is a more important job to do in the fighting forces and they want to be of service to their country.

Enlistment of Albert, 27 years old, James, 24, and Neil, 19, brings to five the number of Clarke boys on active service and gives the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clarke of Thorsby a perfect record with all their sons in the forces. The other two boys are Pte. Glen Clarke, overseas with the Calgary Highlanders, and Air Gunner Leslie Clarke training with the Royal Canadian Air Force at Edmonton.

Under army regulations the three boys will serve together as this policy is followed wherever men in the army desire. Army regulations allow an older brother to "claim" a younger brother so that they may serve together.

The trio who have just received their uniforms at No. 13 District Depot at Calgary will soon begin basic training, the initial step in their Army careers.

Workers Organize

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Formation of a national organization of federal, provincial, civic and municipal employees has been started, it was announced here yesterday by W. J. Sherlock, Manitoba division, Joint Council of Public Employees. A meeting to discuss organization plans will

Lier, and J. C. Armitage. Reports showed that a total of \$1,527 was raised by the local branch in 1943. In addition 316 finished articles were shipped to headquarters. The annual meeting of the Marwayne civic affairs group was held Thursday, Jan. 27 and reports of the various committees in connection with town improvement showed progress during 1943. Fred Marfleet was elected president; R. Swanson, secretary-treasurer; and J. C. Thom was again elected hall manager for the 16th term.

GRIMSHAW.—With the return of colder weather Grimshaw men's curling club bonspiel was completed Thursday night. Twenty-one rinks were entered and all night curling was featured as several outside rinks were unable to be present in the daytime. Following are winners in the various competitions: grand challenge: R. Craig, Whitlaw; A. Cantrill, Peace River; E. Boyd, Peace River; L. Fox, Whitlaw; citizens: C. G. Hamilton, Whitlaw; H. Wilson, Peace River; W. G. N. Johnston, Peace River; W. Wortman, Whitlaw; victory: L. Fox, Whitlaw; T. Johnston, Grimshaw; consolation: F. R. Turnbull, Grimshaw; D. Koellin, Brownvale; H. A. Martin, Grimshaw; and J. McKenzie, Brownvale.

Mrs. R. Turnbull was elected president and Mrs. A. McQuarrie, secretary-treasurer of the Grimshaw Ladies' Aid at the annual meeting held recently. Reports showed a successful year in 1943.

WILLINGDON.—A meeting of the Colonel Reid Chapter I.O.D.E. was held at the home of Mrs. S. Syska. Plans were made for a Valentine bridge party to be held Feb. 14 in the school gymnasium. Mrs. E. Cranston was elected regent for the coming year and other officers elected were: Mrs. G. D. Duck, vice-regent; Mrs. T. Watson, second vice-regent; Miss A. Sandro, secretary; Mrs. H. Savage, treasurer; Mrs. L. Sereda, Echoes secretary; Mrs. Z. Romanchuk, educational convener; war work convener, Mrs. G. Tkatchuk, Mrs. R. Boutillier, Mrs. L. Kostah, and Mrs. N. Kalenchuk; standard bearer, Mrs. N. Fedorak.

The second in the series of dances being sponsored by the Community dancing club was held Thursday, Jan. 27 in the Willingdon hall. Music was supplied by Joe Dubuc's orchestra and the event was successful. A tea was held in the Red Cross Superfluity Shop Thursday afternoon. All proceeds went to the Red Cross.

3 Britons Buried Alive By Japs in Philippines

Raymond P. Cronin was repatriated last September after internment since January, 1942, by the Japanese in Santo Tomas camp for civilians in Manila, where he was Associated Press chief of bureau.—EDITOR.

By RAYMOND P. CRONIN

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Some British and United Nations civilians, as well as soldiers, were victims of Japanese army and military police atrocities in the Philippines.

Club Holds Meet Ferintosh School

FERINTOSH.—The annual meeting of the Central Valley Comfort Club was held at the school Jan. 28.

Arthur Rutz, president, presided. Officers of the last year were all re-elected by acclamation as follows: Arthur Rutz, president; James Olsen, vice-president; Mrs. Melvin Krinke, secretary-treasurer; Miss Mary Bean, entertainment committee; Mrs. Henry Olsen, parcel committee. A total of \$231 was raised by the club last year and 15 parcels were shipped overseas.

J. H. Sigalek succeeds J. D. Johnston on the Ferintosh school board. The Ferintosh and District Ministerial Association recently organized is functioning with the following officers: The Rev. R. Robinson, president; the Rev. A. C. Strom, vice-president; the Rev. F. R. Schimke, secretary-treasurer.

The western division of the Alumni Association of the London Bible Institute was organized in Ferintosh with the following officers: The Rev. W. R. Robinson, president; Mrs. A. W. Beck, vice-president; R. W. Beck, secretary; P. A. Rainey, treasurer.

A funeral service for Joseph Underley Wing, was held at the Doreen community church Jan. 28 with the Rev. Victor A. Lindgren officiating, assisted by the Rev. H. C. Gardner and the Rev. Eva Wright.

Born in England, Mr. Wing came to Doreen in 1907 where he lived until a year ago when he moved to British Columbia. He was 55 years old. Besides his wife he is survived by three daughters and two sons.

The famed "Army Show" has been enlarged, and the cast split up into five units. These units are now overseas entertaining troops in the United Kingdom.

The most vicious army atrocity against civilians in the Manila area came about two months after we were interned. It involved the burial alive of three Britons—one Dominion citizen and two Englishmen. The Englishmen were young seamen named Fletcher and Weeks.

The trio, chained under restraint, went over the wall one night after roll call. Captured by the Japs they were brought back to the Santo Tomas camp.

They were beaten by Japanese officers and non-coms with the buckle end of belts—beaten so badly that when I saw them leave the camp an hour later they could hardly be recognized as human beings. They were abused while their hands were tied behind their backs.

The Dominion citizen refused to take it. He butted one Japanese officer to the floor and amputated with his teeth the soft part of his torturer's right hand. The Japanese then announced that the men had been trying to transmit military intelligence to the enemy and had been sentenced to death.

The next day the three were taken to Cemetery Del Norte. They were then led to a shallow trench where they were seated on the mound of earth behind the common grave. They were blindfolded.

REQUEST DENIED

The Dominion man's request to discard the blindfold was denied. Four young Japanese officers, using pistols of small calibre, fired round after round but failed to topple the men into the hole.

Finally one of the seamen, under the hail of bullets, slid sideways, bumped the man beside him, and all three sprawled into the grave.

More shots were fired into the trench but the three victims still were kicking and making unearthly sounds when the Japanese shoveled in the earth and covered them up.

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65 Teachers to Leave for Rural Alberta Schools

Group to Relieve Shortage Throughout This Province Until End of Academic Year

Sixty-five partially trained teachers, who have been taking special courses in teaching at Edmonton and Calgary Normal Schools, will be leaving for their posts at the beginning of next week, education department officials announced Tuesday.

I Saw Today



BYRON MORRISON

on 101A avenue recalling old days in the 49th Battalion;

AND

L. Pekarsky entering the police court; Elmer H. Logan, K.C., listening to his companion explain a knotty problem as they walked east on Jasper; Mrs. M. Fielding at the accommodation bureau telling an applicant the housing situation remains acute; Albert Armstrong boarding a street car at Jasper avenue and Thornton Court; Roy Henry talking over Kiwanis Club affairs with another enthusiast; A. O. MacLachlan walking west on 101A avenue.

Hospitalization For City Soldier

Pte. R. Harkot, wounded Edmonton soldier, whose case was investigated by the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., is on his way to Toronto where he will undergo treatment at the large Canadian military hospital on Christie Street.

Pte. Harkot, who was invalided home after service in Sicily, had been under treatment in an Edmonton hospital. He had been struck off the strength of the army and was living with his mother in a small city apartment, according to Legion investigators. He was drawing about \$44 a month for his own and support of his mother, it was stated.

Legion officials state he was paralyzed and unable to speak properly. It is with the object of restoring the veteran's speech that he has been sent to Christie Street hospital, it was stated.

Find "Missing" Man Still in Hospital

William Ferbey, 10419 98 street, reported to city authorities as missing since Saturday afternoon, and who was said to have been taken to the Royal Alexandra hospital that evening with an infected hand, was learned to be still in that institution Monday afternoon.

Ferbey was said to have left the hospital about 8:30 a.m. Sunday, but according to Mrs. Ferbey, he had not returned to his home. A further check with the hospital, Monday afternoon, disclosed that he was still there, said police authorities.

Room Is Entered: Nothing Missing

Although the room occupied by Jan Gee Arrow, had been entered and ransacked, nothing appeared to have been stolen, according to city police, who investigated Monday. Entry had been made by removing a window screen and raising the pane of glass.

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Forty-five of the new teachers have received their training in Edmonton, and 20 studied at Calgary. They have qualified for special certificates, which will entitle them to teach until the end of the present school term, which will probably be around the middle of July.

The Edmonton class started training last November, under Dr. G. S. Lord, normal school principal. A second class of 100 students commenced studies at the same time, and will continue training until the middle of June. Classes have been held in the Garneau school building.

Those completing the course this week will "celebrate" at a number of functions, and Hon. Solon E. Low, minister of education, will address them at a special meeting Friday afternoon.

Early last November, it was stated by department of education spokesmen that the teacher shortage in the province was around the 200-mark. It was said that vacancies were being filled by degrees, and that it was probable all requirements would be met early in this year.

Court Acquits Farmer Shooting Close Neighbor

Gawril John Popowich, Richmond Park district farmer, was acquitted by Mr. Justice T. M. Tweedie in supreme court Tuesday on a charge of shooting and killing Maryon Wolak, neighbor farmer.

The fatal shooting took place near the accused's farm on Sunday, Nov. 21, 1943. Popowich, who was looking for lost horses, had taken his gun along to shoot wolves. In a statement to the police he said he had sighted what he took to be a wolf and had fired.

His shot was followed by a scream, and on running to the place where he thought he had seen a wolf, he found the wounded body of his best friend. The widow of the fatally wounded man testified that the accused and her husband were just like brothers.

According to police evidence at the trial the accused immediately sent his son, who had accompanied him on the search for the lost horses, for aid. The accused built a bed of leaves and branches and lit fires to keep the wounded man warm. On the arrival of assistance the wounded man was placed on a toboggan and died before he could be taken home.

Constable J. Mitchell, in charge of the detachment at Athabasca, said that wolves were numerous in this district and did tremendous damage to livestock. He testified that the country where the shooting took place was "generally covered with spruce, willows and wild hay."

R.A.F. Publication Is Warmly Praised

A revelation in journalistic prowess and a letter-perfect job, is just what you would expect from the men of the R.A.F., when it comes to an airman's publication. And that's just what the Penhold Log, official publication of No. 36 S.F.T.S., is.

The front cover is the reproduction of a flight log against a background of the airman's globe. The Log is 24 pages, well-printed and splendidly illustrated, and is edited by Flt. Lt. W. H. Thomas.

The net paid circulation is given as 700, although more than double that amount "borrow" copies, the editor bemoans.

The Inquiring Reporter

Do you think that pleasure-driving should be abandoned in 1944, or even for the duration?

THE ANSWERS
R. HOOPLE, sawmill operator: I got rid of my car at the beginning of the war, and I've managed quite nicely since without one. I see no reason why all pleasure cars couldn't be taken off the road for the duration.

G. R. CINNAMON, oil-well worker: I don't see that pleasure-driving should be done away with. If a person can get the gas, I say let him go ahead and drive.

DOUG. LESLIE, truck operator: I think all pleasure cars should be taken off the road for the duration. We haven't enough gas to go anywhere. Garage mechanics are scarce, and pleasure cars often tie up more essential vehicles.

Mother Pins Wings on Son



Sgt. Boyd Nelles, R.C.A.F. air gunner, is pictured above having his wings pinned on by his mother, Mrs. M. Garrod of 9822 103 street, at graduation ceremonies at McDonald, Man. Born in Edmonton, Sgt. Nelles is 18 years old. He was graduated from McDougall High and enlisted in the R.C.A.F. in February, 1943. He received his training at Calgary, Lethbridge, Quebec City, Vancouver and McDonald. Prior to his enlistment he was employed for a time at the Corona hotel. A brother, Tpr. Gerald Nelles, has been overseas with the Canadian Army since September, 1942.

Noted Exponents of Aerial War Well Known to U.S. General

Two men whose names are synonymous with aerial warfare are well known to Brig-Gen. Dale V. Gaffney, commanding general of the Alaskan Wing of the U.S.A.A.F. Transport Command, with headquarters in Edmonton.

The two are Lt-Gen. Carl A. "Tooty" Spaatz who will command all strategic bombing for the U.S.A.A.F. during the forthcoming Allied invasion and Maj. A. P. de Seversky, dynamic protagonist of the doctrine of air power whose articles appear regularly in The Edmonton Bulletin.

It was back in 1933 that Gen. Gaffney, then a captain, became acquainted with Spaatz, who was at that time a major in command of pursuit aviation at March Field, Calif. The two were on aerial manoeuvres together.

Of Gen. Spaatz, who recently predicted the destruction of the Nazi Luftwaffe this summer, "if the weather holds good," Gen. Gaffney said:

"He was always a thoroughly enthusiastic believer in air power. He was one of the first to recognize the necessity for development of long range fighter aircraft to escort heavy bombers. The necessity of such fighter aircraft is now being clearly demonstrated."

Much has already been written of the prowess of "Tooty" Spaatz as a poker player.

"It's not widely known that Gen. Spaatz also has a passion for roulette," Gen. Gaffney revealed. Gen. Gaffney doesn't think that Gen. Spaatz has even been able to break the bank at Monte Carlo or any other famous gaming resort.

ALSO SQUASH PLAYER
In addition to poker and roulette playing the chief of the U.S. strategic bombing force is also a first class squash player.

"Spaatz knows his business thoroughly. You can be confident of that," his fellow officer of the March Field days declared.

Maj. de Seversky is described by Gen. Gaffney as a "competent airman" who is "so wildly enthusiastic about the subject of air power he 'doesn't care whose toes he steps on'."

Gen. Gaffney has talked with the author of "Victory Through Air Power" on many occasions. The great advance in military aviation has had one effect that may not yet be realized as fully as it should be, Gen. Gaffney observed.

EVERYBODY'S WAR
"This war is not just a war of the armed services. It is everybody's war, no matter what job a person may have," he said.

Gen. Gaffney recently returned from a trip to Brook's Field, San Antonio, Texas, where he pinned a pilot's wing on the tunic of his only son, 2nd Lt. Dale V. Gaffney, Jr.

Wesley United Church Hears Annual Reports

The Rev. Dr. Edward T. Scragg, acted as chairman at the annual meeting of Wesley United Church which was held in the church parlors Monday evening. Harry S. Fawcett acted as secretary of the meeting.

The following officers were elected for 1944:

For the session: W. T. Bowhey, R. G. Cook, A. E. Rose, W. H. Sterne, J. W. Robinson.

For the stewards: Mrs. J. R. Matthews, Mrs. C. W. Macdonald, Mrs. George Pendleton, Miss Ellen Tatham, E. H. Pointer, R. B. Watson, N. V. Buchanan, H. E. Worth, C. Nix, M. D. McLennan, H. S. Fawcett, Mrs. H. A. Craig.

A successful year was reported by all departments of the church, with a favorable balance of \$690 after all accounts had been paid. A total of \$6,860 was raised for all purposes, and of this amount \$1,300 was remitted to the missionary and maintenance department in Toronto.

The Sunday school, under the leadership of Robert Sharpe, showed an increase in attendance over the previous year, with an average attendance of 132; there being a membership of 155 scholars and 25 teachers, in all departments.

The choir, under the leadership of William Smith, and Pianist Miss Naomi Skinner, reported a successful year, and a special vote of thanks was given to this group for their worshipful contributions to each Sunday service.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the Rev. Dr. Scragg for his leadership during 1943, by F. D. Sutcliffe, who referred to the services of the minister, and Mrs. Scragg, and other members of their family, who served in different departments of the church.

The Sunday services for 1944 will be greatly helped by the installation of a new Cassant organ, to be installed in June of this year, and the members are looking forward to the completion of this project. The Wesley Red Cross unit, through its president, Mrs. George Pendleton, reported that 48 parcels, containing 584 individual gifts of clothing had been dispatched to Poplar Mission and East End Mission, London, England, and to the Channel Islands refugee committee at Yeovil, Somersetshire, England, during the year. Besides this 320 pieces of knitting and sewing had been returned to the Red Cross.

OTHER REPORTS
Reports were presented by the following departments in the nature of a printed booklet, enclosed in an engraved cover showing Wesley church on the front cover: Foreward, the Rev. Dr. E. T. Scragg; official board, H. S. Fawcett, recording steward; session, A. E. Rose; Sunday school, A. E. Rose, secretary; C.G.T., Miss May Sutcliffe; boys' work, E. Nix; Women's Association, E. Pendleton; Mrs. E. F. Pratt and Mrs. C. E. Usher; Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. A. E. Rose; Evening Auxiliary, W.M.S., Mrs. H. S. Fawcett; Mission Circle, Miss Beth Macdonald; Wesley choir, Mrs. C. W. Macdonald; treasurer of church, R. B. Watson; editor of report, N. V. Buchanan, K.C.

City Airman Dies Overseas Service

Flt. Sgt. Lesley Lee Petry, formerly of Edmonton has died of injuries received on active service with the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. L. L. Petry, 9627 106A avenue, is his wife.

Before the Magistrate

Pleading guilty to two R.C.M.P. charges, breach of the Import Liquor Act, and conspiracy, before Magistrate A. I. Millar, K.C., in police court Tuesday morning, Jacob Gordon, Edmonton, was fined \$100 or two months on the first count, and \$200 or three months on the second, with terms to run consecutively.

R.C.M.P. evidence showed how the activities of the accused had been watched, and how two parcels from Montreal arrived at a railway express office. On Dec. 3 last the accused went to the post office, where he picked up a notice concerning the packages.

The parcels were found later by police to contain 14 bottles of liquor, products of the Quebec Liquor Commission.

James Pobuda was assessed \$25 or 35 days on a charge of dangerous driving. The court was told how the accused, while operating his truck at 97 street and 107A avenue, about 7:10 a.m. Tuesday, ran into a milk wagon.

Alex Mokrey, charged with driving at an unreasonable speed, was found guilty and fined \$15 or 21 days. A traffic officer who followed him on 118 avenue about 9:15 p.m. Jan. 22, told the court that the accused had accelerated, between 95 and 99 streets, to 40 miles an hour.

Mirvin Harmon, charged with vagrancy, was sentenced to spend the next 60 days at Fort Saskatchewan. The term is accompanied with hard labor.

Promoted



Flt. Lt. D. A. Naldrett, 24-year-old son of Mrs. E. Naldrett of 9812 104 street, who has been promoted to that rank according to word received by his mother. He attended McKay Avenue Public school and Victoria High school. Prior to his enlistment in February, 1941, he was employed by Simmons Ltd. He is at present stationed with the R.C.A.F. on Prince Edward Island.

Leaders Have No Comment on King Statement

Prime Minister Mackenzie King's announcement in Ottawa Monday that his party intends to stay in power until the war is won "unless circumstances warranted," aroused little comment in local political circles Tuesday.

Premier Ernest Manning had no comment to make on the Dominion premier's statement, and Elmer E. Roper, leader of the C.C.F. party in Alberta, also declined to comment.

Members of the Social Credit party, who have been more or less non-committal regarding provincial election plans for 1944, would not comment on the effect of Mr. King's announcement. It is felt by the man on the street, however, that prospects of a provincial election this year has dimmed considerably.

The Social Credit group has held many nominating conventions recently, particularly in ridings now represented by a Social Credit member. These conventions gave rise to an impression in some circles that an election was in the offing.

The present government must go to the polls in 1945, as the last election was held in 1940, and its term automatically expires next year.

Remand Charges Against Butcher

Six charges against Max Dietch, market building butcher, were remanded for consideration by Magistrate A. I. Millar, K.C., Monday afternoon, for one week, after final evidence which applied to one last three charges, was heard.

Dietch, who pleaded guilty to two charges several weeks ago, was found guilty of another Jan. 21.

Evidence given Monday concerned charges of unlawfully furnishing Samuel Saulman, of a city cafe, with pork products. The charges were laid by the Wartime Prices and Trades Board.

Dietch, asked by his counsel, L. Pekarsky, if Saulman's statement to the effect that he, Saulman, had bought pork products and little else from him, denied that this was so.

Evidence given by Saulman had been that he "did not buy beef, but only pork," said Mr. Pekarsky.

Set Deadline on Prospectors' Class

The closing date for acceptance of applications for enrolment in the prospectors' classes sponsored by The Alberta and Northwest Chamber of Mines is Friday, Feb. 4, according to L. E. Drummond, Secretary, announced Tuesday.

Enrolment for the prospectors and would-be prospectors, including returned servicemen and those interested in going into the field and undertaking prospecting.

The classes, scheduled to begin about Feb. 15, at the University of Alberta will include lectures on mineralogy, chemistry, claim staking and other essentials necessary for a geologist entering the field, and are being offered "in order to advance and promote the finding of minerals in the post-war period."

East Business Man Is Club Speaker
Guest speaker at the Kiwanis club regular Monday luncheon meeting at the Macdonald was Joseph Caulder, Montreal, president of the Dairy Corporation of Canada. Mr. Caulder spoke on the function of service clubs in the community and said that service clubs justify themselves in the service they render.

'Flu Takes 12 Lives in North Reports State

Word reached here Monday that 12 persons have died as result of the influenza epidemic which struck Akavik, Northwest Territories, shortly before Christmas. Akavik is about 2,000 miles northwest of here.

The epidemic, which spread throughout the town as Eskimos and Indians flocked in to spend the holiday season, made it a "ghost town" until early this month. Schools were closed, public gatherings cancelled and trading at the stores were suspended.

Nearly 300 persons were stricken and all available heated houses or rooms were crowded to capacity, when the 55-bed Anglican hospital and 24-bed Roman Catholic hospital were filled. The Anglican resident school's 100 pupils and 70 from the Roman Catholic school were stricken.

DOCTOR ILL
Dr. Leslie D. Livingstone, senior medical health officer in the Northwest Territories, was stricken a few days before Christmas and directed the battle from a bed in the Anglican hospital until he was able to move about. Mrs. Livingstone also was confined to hospital.

Two shipments of sulfa drugs were flown to the outpost and this was instrumental in checking serious pneumonia cases which followed the flu in many cases.

Old-Time Resident Dies at 55 Years

Long time resident of Edmonton, J. E. O'Callaghan of 10289 92 street, died at his home Monday. He was 55 years old.

Employed by Martin's Luggage Co. for a number of years Mr. O'Callaghan had lived in Edmonton for the last 30 years. He was a veteran of the last Great War.

He is survived by his wife and one brother, J. A. O'Callaghan of Kars, Ont. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Connelly and McKinley funeral directors.

Commissioned



Pilot Officer Benjamin J. Barnes, 18-year-old son of CSM. B. J. Barnes, M.M., who is on the recruiting staff of M.D. 13, recently was graduated as a pilot from the Dauphin air training school of the R.C.A.F., with the rank of pilot officer. PO. Barnes is the youngest of three brothers in the service. One brother serves with the Canadian Army overseas and another is with the Royal Canadian Navy on convoy duty. Father and son have left for a visit to Ottawa.

School Inspectors Are to Meet Here

Forty-five high school inspectors from all parts of Alberta will meet at the Legislative Buildings here Wednesday in annual conference, it was learned today. They will discuss problems facing the high schools, and other relative matters, during parleys which are expected to last two days.

It is expected that Hon. Solon E. Low, minister of education; Dr. G. Fred McNally, deputy minister, and other high-ranking education officers will be on hand for preliminary discussions. Dr. W. H. Swift, chief inspector of high schools, is in charge of conference arrangements.

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DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Wife Should Not Feel Superior to Husband

Marriage Never a Success Where Girl Starts With Idea Of Lifting Boy to Her Level; Husbands the Same After Marriage as Before

DEAR MISS DIX: I am a girl of 22, secretly engaged to a man of 30. My family oppose the match very much because we are aristocratic, while he belongs to a very plain people. He is very handsome, dresses and talks well, has a high school education and good business ability, but I must admit that I wouldn't own his mother and father and brothers. I would be ashamed of them before my friends.

Also, this young man's manners are not just what I would like them to be. Do you think it wise to try to change a man's ways after you are married? I love my fiancé with all my heart and feel that we are meant for each other, but I do not know whether to marry him or not.

ANN S.

Answer: I should say not, if you are going to take such a snobbish attitude toward him and his family. Unless you can say to the man you marry: "Thy people shall be my people and thy God my God," you will find small happiness in being his wife.

No marriage is ever a successful marriage in which the wife feels herself superior to her husband. There is something in the feminine psychology that makes a woman want to look up to her husband, not down upon him, and certainly no man enjoys knowing that his wife

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considers herself better than he is, and that she regards him as a social inferior.

Nor are you playing the game if you marry a man whose family you are not willing to accept. Remember that after you marry him they will be your family, too. You will bear their name and their blood will flow in your children's veins.

Furthermore, it seems to me that nothing could be crueler than for a girl to marry a man with the deliberate intention in her heart of separating him from his own people, of taking him away from the mother who bore him, the father who sacrificed to educate him, and the brothers and sisters who love him and with whom he has all memories in common.

What if these people have not had the social advantages that your parents have had and their manners are not as polished? What if they are not as well educated? Some of the truest and noblest hearts in the world beat under shabby clothes. Some of the finest ladies and gentlemen I have ever known lacked parlor tricks and wouldn't have known their way among the forks and spoons at a formal dinner. Some of the wisest men and women I have ever known expressed opinions that would have done credit to Solomon, in shaky grammar. Most of the great men in this country have come from just plain people as these you despise.

And I certainly don't think it wise to try to change a man after you are married to him, for few men take kindly to correction. Marry a man you don't need to change, or accept the man you marry as he is.

NAGGING?

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband is awfully good to me and buys me beautiful clothes, and he adores both the baby and me. Our life together would be just Heaven if he didn't accuse me of nagging every time I speak to him about something that he does that I don't like. It is nagging for a wife to tell her husband what she thinks about certain things that he does that are wrong?

WORRIED.

ANSWER: Every husband has his own private definition of what constitutes nagging. Generally speaking, nagging is harping on the same string, making the same suggestion over and over again, repeating the same admonition or advice hundreds of times.

For instance, it is nagging when a wife reminds her husband every time he lights a cigarette or gets out his pipe of what an extravagance the use of tobacco is, and how injurious it is to the nerves, or how it seems up the curtains. It is nagging when she is forever throwing in his teeth the time he lent some money to a friend that never was repaid, or the night he stayed down late at the lodge, or the occasion when he wouldn't change his shoes when his feet were wet and got a bad cold.

It is nagging when, year after year, his wife tries to make him go to her church, or she tries to make him resign from his club, and to give up all his little tastes and pleasures because she doesn't happen to like them. It is nagging when she never lets him rest about buying something special she wants, or doing over the house, or doing anything else she has set her heart upon.

Nagging is much more common than women realize, because most women are constitutionally incapable of saying a thing once and letting it alone. The majority of them haven't very much that is new to think about, and so their minds run upon any little grievance until it becomes an obsession with them. And without realizing it, they dwell on that one particular subject until it gets on their husbands' nerves.

In your case, WORRIED, the remedy for the situation is clearly indicated. If your husband considers

Points for Parents

By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE



Mother: "Before we decide, Son, I want to hear more about your plans. Let's try to see what the result of each decision might be."

Mother: "You shouldn't question your mother's decisions. You know when you argue with me, I always end up with a headache."

It is possible for dominance to be the iron hand masquerading in a velvet glove.

Gideon Planish

By Sinclair Lewis

CHAPTER XXV

WHEFYFISH and Planish had the triumph of adding to their national board of directors no less a derivative power than Maj. Harold Homeward, the son-in-law of Col. Charles B. Mardue and legal husband of Mardue's daughter, who was known to all intellectuals as "Talking Winifred."

Peony demanded of the Doctor: "I hear this Major Homeward that you've got hold of is a regular polo-hound. You got to buy him for me. You meet all these big-money boys, but what about me?"

"Dearie, some day you'll be really meeting Colonel Mardue himself, right at his own home. Maybe, if you'll be patient and give me time."

"Yes, that'd be wonderful, and I do believe you might pull it off." "I'm not going to work for Soapy Ernie in that factory forever. I want an organization of my own."

"That's the dope," said Mrs. Planish. "Somehow," said Dr. Planish, "I have a hunch about Mardue."

Col. Charles B. Mardue was a military man as well as an advertising agent and an owner of magazines. He had been a fighting major in World War I, then a colonel in the New York National Guard. In 1937, he was 55, and a fine, upstanding, silver-and-cherry hued man. He admired Napoleon and General Franco of Spain. Out of liquor, he talked about being liberal; but in it, he talked about being a Strong Man.

He was the president of Mardue, Syco & Sagg—formerly Mardue & Syco—who had been pioneers, more likely military strategists, really, in both radio advertising and scientific research into retail markets—a service given strictly free to customers. He had been the first to broadcast the song of the English skylark—sponsored, the King David Matzos Makers; and the first to let the radio world (far flung) hear the cry of a just-born baby, in promotion of Vitaminized Vermont Flapjack Flour.

He was publisher as well as an advertising man, and the chief owner of the Zinc Trades Monitor, the Housewife's Monthly Budget, the Installation Plan Dealers' Trade Tips, and of that popular journal Lowdown.

He was also a vestryman of St. Cunegonde's Protestant Episcopal Church, and for years he had longed and plotted to become President of the United States.

He honestly felt that he had to become President to save the country from sliding down through New Deal Socialism into anarchy. Once, at lunch, he firmly told his brilliant daughter, Winifred Mardue Homeward, "Without any special pleasure in it, I can see that I have the best mind in the country."

It was nagging to have you tell him of his faults, don't do it. After all, a man doesn't marry to get somebody to correct him. And if you do feel that you have to call his attention to his mistakes, do it once, and let the matter drop. Don't keep rubbing your reprimand in.

Of course, it is pretty hard for a wife to keep silent when she disapproves, but if you can secure a happy home by keeping your tongue between your teeth, it is worth the price.

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

It seems so natural for a baby to be gay and happy that mothers are always surprised when their children are solemn and laugh infrequently.

Yet personality shows up early in all children and solemn babies are solemn grownups, unless the solemnity is due to ill-health, a condition we dare not overlook. The wan-eyed urchin who suffers from constant hunger, even though he eats everything given to him, is usually a solemn child.

Pictures of the pathetic children of the occupied countries indicate the close connection between good health and a spirit of gaiety and mischief. Even our well-fed children lose their spirit of fun when they are sick and look on sadly at our efforts to amuse them.

Mrs. J. M. G. admits that the solemnity of her baby bothers her. "He doesn't seem as care-free and happy as I think a baby should be. He is 8 months old, weighs 23 pounds and is 27 inches long."

One must guess that with this good gain in height and weight that he can't be too badly fed. But, I'd be critical of his diet nonetheless. I'd check it in every particular, milk, cereal, meat, fruits, vegetables, bread and butter, and vitamin D to be sure that no source of "hidden" hunger is robbing the baby of his joy in living and the smile that should sparkle because of it. Thank you for the nice remarks about the column. I appreciate them sincerely.

Mrs. N. R., an expectant mother for the third time, makes these suggestions to other prospective mothers: "For relief of pain from swollen, painful breasts I have found a firm brassiere is invaluable. I wear it even in bed. It helps me sleep better."

"Since most blouses get tight in a very short time I suggest it would be helpful to beg, borrow or buy a boy's sport blouse. It is longer and roomier and can be used with a jumper right up to the end of pregnancy—and afterwards."

"I am enjoying greatly my 12-year-old son's blouses. He doesn't mind."

The blouses sound like a good idea. It is always desirable to support the heavy breasts as well as the pendulous abdomen with a properly-fitted maternity corset. I know many young women who have never worn corsets who hoot at this idea. They might be agreeable to the brassiere, though.

Our letter, "Advice for the Prospective Mother," may be had by mailing your request for it to Myrtle Meyer Eldred in care of this newspaper, enclosing a 4-cent stamp, self-addressed envelope with your request.

Bulletin Patterns

By ANNE ADAMS



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(To Be Continued)

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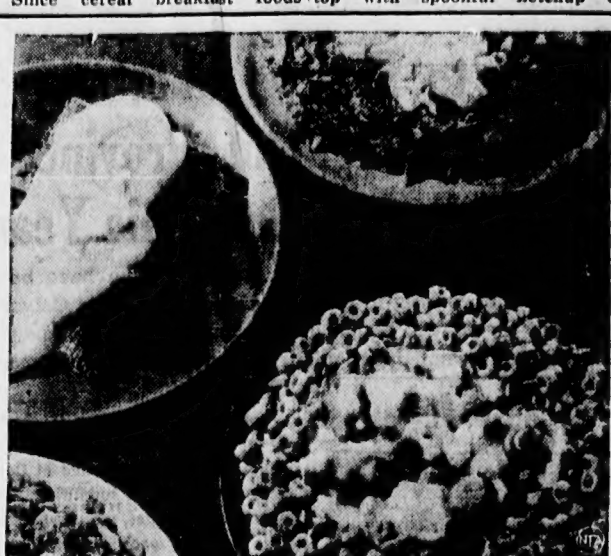
War Kitchen

By GAYNOR MADDOX

SAUSAGE FLAKE RAMEKINS

Those abundant and unrationed ready-to-eat cereals that seem so important at breakfast can serve handsomely at lunch time, too. Since cereal breakfast foods

Combine left-over cooked sausage meat with an equal amount of corn flakes. Arrange in individual ramekins or custard cups; top with spoonful ketchup or



Toasted cereals make delicious base for creamed left-overs.

contain an average of about 10 per cent of protein, depending on the grain source, they are a nutritious, economical and ration-free extender for other less available protein foods, such as meat, fish, eggs, cheese and milk.

Just heat the cereal about 10 minutes in a moderately hot (375 degree F.) oven. If you have individual casseroles or ramekins, you can heat the cereal in these, then pour your mixture into each one. Or heat the cereal, then portion it out onto heated plates, your over the creamed mixture and serve. For shredded wheat biscuits, you may wish first to split the biscuits in half lengthwise, spread lightly with butter, then heat or toast.

CORN-CHEESE CASSEROLE

In a greased casserole, place alternate layers of whole kernel corn, crumbled wheat biscuits and grated cheese. Season with salt and pepper; add milk to casserole to cover layers. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 30 minutes, or until milk is almost absorbed.

chili sauce. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 15 minutes or until heated.

MEAT PIE TOPPING

To meat drippings add a dash of Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper. Mix with wheat flakes. Spread over casserole of meat and vegetable pie filling; bake until heated.

LIVER LUNCHEON DISH

Cube cooked liver, add well-seasoned to white sauce with any left-over vegetables (peas, carrots, corn, green beans). Heat and serve on crisp corn cereal.

Tomorrow's Menu

Breakfast: Orange juice, corn flakes, French toast, marmalade, coffee, milk for children.

Lunch: Toasted shredded wheat with creamed leftover vegetables, enriched bread, butter, fruit cup, tea, milk for children.

Dinner: Beef and kidney pie with vegetables, mashed potatoes, cole slaw, enriched hard rolls, butter, fresh fruit juice gelatin, lemon sauce, coffee, milk for children.

McKenney On Bridge

By WM. E. MCKENNEY

America's Card Authority

Second of a series of six articles selecting the outstanding hands published in this column during 1943.

No selection would be complete that did not include the calamity hand played in the Eastern States Tournament by Alvin Roth and Tobias Stone, who are now both in the Army. This hand appeared in my column April 6, 1943. With 14 hands to play, Roth and Stone were down only 30 points. After this disastrous hand, however, they went to pieces and established some kind of record by losing more than 5,000 points on the few remaining hands.

The argument on the hand centered around Roth's bid of six

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3 ♥	Pass	4 ♠	Pass						
5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠	Pass						
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cent a cute, high waist... and top a skirt that gives plenty of room for assertive tom-boy legs. Highlight of this frock with spanking white or give it the chic, ric-rac treatment.

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What's on the Air

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CFRN—1260 k.c. Sunwapta Broadcasting Co. Ltd., Edmonton.

CKUA—580 k.c. University of Alberta.

CKUA—930 k.c. Taylor and Pearson Broadcasting Co. Ltd., Edmonton.

CKB—340 k.c. Watrous, Sask. Prairie regional station of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

NBC—National Broadcasting Company Stations: KOA, 850 k.c.; KFI, 640 k.c.; KHQ, 590 k.c.

CBS—Columbia Broadcasting System Stations: KVI, 570 k.c.; KSL, 1160 k.c.; WUCO, 830 k.c.; KNX, 1070 k.c.; KIRO, 710 k.c.

Tonight's Programs

8.00—The Farmer, CFRN. Hollywood melodies, CKUA. The Gaelic hour, CKUA, CBK.

8.15—Kiddies program, CKUA. Air adventures, CFRN. News, NBC.

8.30—Secret service scouts, CFRN. News and interlude, CKUA, CBK. Everything for the boys, NBC.

8.45—Today's adventures, CFRN. Lum & Abner, CKUA. News round-up, CKUA, CBK.

8.50—Town-country varieties, CFRN. Big town, CKUA. Alberta adult education, CKUA.

9.00—Johnny presents, NBC. Recorded interlude, CFRN. King's men, CKUA.

9.15—Date with Judy, NBC. Judy Canova, CBS.

9.30—Progressive Conservatives, CKUA. Symphonies, CFRN. John and Judy, CKUA.

9.45—Toronto symphony, CKUA, CBK. Mystery theatre, NBC. Burns and Allen, CBS.

9.50—Fibber McGee and Molly, CKUA. NBC. Reports to nation, CBS.

10.00—News, CKUA, CBK, CKUA. Bob Hope, NBC, CFRN. Suspense, CBS.

10.15—Ted Steele, CKUA. Norwegian program, CKUA.

10.30—Evening music, CKUA. Red Skelton. Human side of news, CBS.

10.45—Treasure trail, CKUA. Sinatra and Shore, CFRN. Talk: C.C.F., CFRN.

10.50—Our people's business, CKUA. War correspondent, CFRN.

11.00—Front-line theatre, CFRN. Things to come, CKUA, CBK.

11.15—Fred Waring, NBC. I love a mystery, CBS.

11.30—Harkness of Washington, NBC. Harry James orch., CBS.

11.45—The world circle, CKUA. Richard Crooks, CFRN.

11.50—Drama, CKUA. Words at war, NBC.

12.00—News, CFRN. Songs of good cheer, CBS.

12.15—Melody hour, CBS. Your favorite music, CFRN.

12.30—The little show, CKUA. Red Skelton, CFRN.

12.45—Pacific nocturne, CFRN. California serenades, NBC.

12.50—Masterworks of music, CBS. News, CFRN, CKUA, CBK.

1.00—Hollywood reporter, NBC. Masterworks, CBS.

1.15—The night in the night, CFRN. News round-up, CKUA.

1.30—Sign-off, CFRN. One-night stand, CFRN.

1.45—Les Brown orch., CBS. Les Brown orch., CBS.

1.50—Melody round-up, CKUA. News, CKUA, CBK, CKUA.

2.00—Personal album, CFRN. Sound-off, CKUA.

2.15—Farm forum, CKUA. News, musical interlude, CFRN.

2.30—The livestock reporter, CKUA. Fred Waring, CFRN.

2.45—Vibrations, CFRN. News, CKUA.

2.50—Time and times, CFRN. Music, CKUA.

3.00—News, CKUA, CBK, CFRN. News, CKUA, CBK, CKUA.

3.15—Morning melodies, Jack Toulson, CKUA.

3.30—Tick-tock serenades, CFRN. South Side show, CKUA.

3.45—Interlude; lost-found column, CFRN.

3.50—Opening markets, CFRN. Grain prices, CKUA.

4.00—Devotion, CBK.

4.15—Road of life, CKUA, CBK. Moments in melody, CFRN.

4.30—New in French, CBK. Chapel chimera, CFRN.

4.45—Steps to beauty, CKUA. Soldier's wife, CKUA, CBK.

4.50—Musical comedy time, CFRN. Lucy Linton, CKUA, CBK.

5.00—The radio lady, CFRN. News, CBK, CKUA.

5.15—Wait, time, CFRN. Big Sister, CKUA, CBK.

Mrs. Dennis M. McGrath Holds Trousseau Tea For Daughter

More than 50 guests called at the home of Mrs. Dennis M. McGrath on Monday afternoon and evening when she entertained at a trousseau tea in honor of her daughter, Miss Nora McGrath, whose marriage to Lt. Mark H. Sherrill, U.S.A.A.F., will take place in Santa Ana, California, shortly.

Edmonton Pair Wed 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Duggan, 10355 Saskatchewan Drive, will hold an open reception on Sunday, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Duggan are old timers in Edmonton. They were married on Feb. 5, 1894, at the Bishop's palace at St. Albert, and have made their home in Edmonton ever since.

Born in Fenelon Falls, Ont., Mr. Duggan came to Edmonton at the age of 21, and previous to this was connected with lumber mills in B.C. At one time mayor of Strathcona, now South Edmonton, he has been prominent in city business and real estate circles, and also owned farm land in Alberta. He is past president of the Northern Alberta Pioneers and Old Timers' association.

Mrs. Duggan was formerly national president of the Catholic Women's League, and took an active interest in women's club and church circles. She was born in Glengarry, Ont.

The couple attend St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church, and still take much interest in local news and world events.

They have one son, Jack Duggan, who resides at St. Albert, and five grandchildren.

Mrs. G. E. Forbes Appointed Editor "Missionary Monthly"

Appointment of Mrs. G. E. Forbes as editor of "The Missionary Monthly" has been announced Tuesday by the Dominion Board of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada.

She succeeds Miss Olive Ziegler. Mrs. Forbes has just completed her work in connection with the raising of the United Church of Canada deficit fund. She has had wide experience in the work of the W.M.S., having been president of the W.M.S. of the Eastern Division of the Presbyterian Church before union, and later was president of the Dominion Board of the United Society. During her presidency she made visits to all Conference Branches.

As a representative of the W.M.S. Board Mrs. Forbes visited the Trinidad Mission of the United Church, and with her husband, the late Rev. G. Ernest Forbes, visited the missionaries of the United Church in Japan, Korea, Honan, South China and West China.

"The Missionary Monthly" has a circulation of 32,000 copies.

HONORED AT TEA



Miss Nora McGrath who was entertained at a trousseau tea at the home of her mother, Mrs. Dennis M. McGrath, on Monday afternoon and evening. Miss McGrath's marriage to Lt. Mark H. Sherrill, U.S.A.A.F., will take place shortly.

Mrs. C. Osofrot Re-Elected Head Of Presbyterial

The Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society, Edmonton Presbyterial, at its 30th annual meeting held Friday in First Presbyterian church, re-elected Mrs. C. Osofrot as president.

Honorary President Mrs. J. MacBeath Miller, welcomed the delegates, who attended from Blueberry Mountain, Brownvale and Killam. She told those present that the Edmonton Presbyterial has a membership of 13,000, and Alberta has 68,000 members.

Miss M. Booth, deaconess, said that during 1943 the society donated sum of \$3,700 to the church of Christ in China. Thirty thousand people in British Guiana received Christian literature, and donations were made to orphan missions in Africa. In all, \$48 pounds of literature were distributed during the year, some going to the armed forces.

At the evening session, Mrs. J. Irving, young women's secretary, presided.

City C.G.I.T. groups held a quiz, and Mrs. R. S. Steveson of Brownvale gave an address on the work done by groups in northern districts. Capt. J. R. Heribson of Calgary, chaplain to the women's army at Vermilion, was guest speaker.

Other officers elected include: honorary presidents, Mrs. D. G. McQueen and Mrs. J. MacBeath Miller; vice-presidents, Mrs. A. L. Forrester, Mrs. J. B. MacLennan, Mrs. F. D. Roxburgh, Mrs. S. Niven; recording secretary, Mrs. A. A. Walker. Corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Blott; treasurer, Miss M. Reini; mission band, Mrs. C. Chambers; home helpers, Mrs. D. Stewart; young women's, Mrs. J. Irving; young girls, Mrs. R. Paterson; library, Mrs. A. E. Davies; literature, Miss C. Burger; welcome to welfare, Mrs. J. C. McTavish; flower fund, Mrs. J. C. McTavish; press, Mrs. J. Anderson; Glad Tidings, Mrs. E. Parris; general interest, Mrs. H. E. Walker; social convener, Mrs. H. E. Dodger; supply, Mrs. J. A. Dunn; exchange, Mrs. A. G. Caldwell; pianist, Mrs. F. Lowers and student secretary, Mrs. I. E. Hahn.

More than 10,000 tons of seed have been sent from the United States to the Soviet Union to increase production of food.

Garneau Church Annual Meeting

Annual meeting of Garneau United church was held Wednesday evening with the Rev. D. C. Ramsay presiding. Reports from the session, women's association, board of stewards, Sunday schools and boys' clubs showed that satisfactory progress had been made in the work of the church during 1943.

A special vote of thanks was tendered the W.A. which raised over \$700 in connection with its activities.

After the meeting lunch was served by women of the congregation.

Calendar

Augustana Lutheran Ladies' Aid, meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Henderson, 1143 86 street, Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Metropolitan United church, group 4, meeting at the home of Mrs. C. B. Strong, 10632 86 avenue, Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Edmonton House Jr. chapter I.O.D.E. annual meeting at the home of Miss Gladys Anderson, 401 Casa Loma apt., on Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Earl of St. Andrew's chapter, I.O.E., annual meeting at the home of Miss Lillian Chapman, 10841 86 avenue, Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Church of the Good Shepherd W.A., meeting at the home of Mrs. R. S. Faulk, 12209 111 avenue, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Westward Ho! chapter, I.O.B.E., executive meeting Thursday at 8 p.m., and regular meeting 2:30 p.m., room 409 Tegner building.

Western Rose I.O.B.E. No. 125, meeting in the I.O.O.F. hall, 103 street, Wednesday at 8 p.m. for initiation.

The French language is spoken by more than 40,000,000 people.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"He must be a drafted father—all he gets is bills!"

Mrs. J. H. Chown Elected New President of City Creche Group

Mrs. J. H. Chown was elected president of the Edmonton Creche Society at the 14th annual meeting held in the Macdonald hotel Monday afternoon. Other officers are: Lady Rodney, honorary president; Mrs. W. J. Dick, first vice-president; Mrs. L. C. Harris, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. A. J. Huff, secretary; Mrs. Thomas Dickson, treasurer; Mrs. W. D. Spence, chairman of finance. Members of the executive committee for 1944 include Mrs. Edgerton Pope, Mrs. Charles Dawes, Mrs. G. B. Henwood, Mrs. G. H. Monkman and Miss H. Emerson.

Mrs. W. D. Spence, retiring after three years as president, was honored for her hard work and loyalty and was presented with a cameo brooch by Mrs. Hugh Nash on behalf of the board members.

Giving the president's address, Mrs. Spence reported that attendance at the creche has been greatly increased and that the appreciation of the mothers was very gratifying. She said the service rendered throughout the years has established in the public mind recognition of the creche's value. From this recognition spring the voluntary gifts from many sources.

Mrs. G. H. N. Monkman, retiring secretary read her report and the auditor's report was given by Mrs. T. Dickson.

RESIGNS
Mrs. Luella C. Moore, R.N., expressed regret at having to resign her post as matron of the creche and submitted her report for last year.

The Personal Column

IN HONOR of Miss Heather Priest, bride-elect of this month, the staff of the Hudson's Bay Company district office and MacKenzie River Transport Division, entertained at a tea at the home of Miss Molly Wright, 11007 90 avenue, Saturday afternoon. A presentation was made to the guest-of-honor, Mrs. Gladys Priest presided at the tea table.

Wednesday will be open night for straight skating at the Glenora Skating club. Exhibitions of fancy skating will be given by Miss Stephanie MacDonald, club champion, and Miss Diane Keltie and Miss Arlene Jones. Tickets may be secured at the club house. Refreshments will be served by members of the house committee.

MEMBERS of Edmonton's young set will be interested in the announcement made Tuesday of the engagement of Miss Rita Lois Sanderson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley S. Sanderson, to P.O. William D. Gwynne, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Gwynne, all of Edmonton. The marriage will take place in February.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pharis of Magrath, are expected to return to their home today, after visiting with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Ringwood, Garneau.

Mrs. Irving Hill and her small daughter, Patricia, arrived Monday evening from Prince George, and will be guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bruce Wilson.

Lt.-Cmdr. and Mrs. K. A. MacKenzie left recently for the Pacific coast. They have been residing in Edmonton for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Inglesby, and Mrs. Arthur Shera left today for the Pacific coast where they will take up residence.

Mrs. Ernest Bastide returned to the city Saturday afternoon from Washington, D.C., where she spent four months visiting with her daughter, Miss Genevieve Bastide, who works at the French Embassy. En route home she visited friends in New York and Montreal.

Members of the Navy Mothers' club are asked to bring to the meeting on Thursday any warm garments they can spare, such as shirts, coats, sweaters, boots, underwear, etc. These garments will be used for survivors' bundles, and the members are asked to bring this clothing in response to an appeal from Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa. The meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday in the Memorial Hall.

Central Council of the Girls' Hi-Y club is planning a leap year dance, "Paper Doll," to be held Saturday evening in the gymnasium of the Y.W.C.A. Welcoming the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. H. McFarlane, Miss Margaret Hart and Miss Norma Howard. Dancing will commence at 8:30 p.m.

In honor of Miss Maya Mogensen, a bride-elect of February, Miss Alma Hiller entertained at a miscellaneous shower held recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. Fee. During the evening, guests played games, and prize winners were Miss Rosalie Repka and Miss Dorothy Skov. Master Johnny Fee presented the bride with the gifts. Those present were: Mrs. C. Mogensen, Mrs. M. A. Angus, Mrs. A. Thompson, Mrs. M. Ewing, Mrs. M. McBeth, Mrs. O. Whitehouse, Mrs. L. Fee, Mrs. V. Nielsen, the Misses Melinda Gallup, Rita MacKay, Bertha Vickstrom, Anna Vickstrom, Olive Repka and Betty Skov.

In Guildford, Eng., recently, the marriage took place of Harold Willard Helgeson, R.C.A.F., of Prince Rupert and Edmonton, and Miss Joyce Marie Weakley, younger daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. Weakley of Stoke Fields, Guildford, Eng. Before his enlistment in 1941, the bridegroom lived for a number of years in Edmonton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Helgeson of Prince Rupert.

PAST PRESIDENT



Mrs. W. D. Spence, retiring president of the Edmonton Creche Society and a member of the organization for 13 years, who was honored with a presentation from co-workers at the annual meeting Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. H. Chown is the new president and Mrs. Spence will continue as a member of the executive in the office of chairman of finance.

Children cared for included those of working mothers, children of soldiers, mothers wishing to shop, and those of mothers who were ill.

Mrs. Edgerton Pope gave the report of the nominating committee.

The following are members of the board for this year: Mrs. W. E. Blythe, Mrs. Charles Bradley, Mrs. D. E. Cameron, Mrs. J. H. Chown, Mrs. James Collinson, Mrs. J. B. Corbett, Mrs. G. R. Davidson, Mrs. Charles Dawes, Mrs. J. J. Dick, Mrs. F. Dickson, Mrs. R. H. Driscoll, Mrs. J. C. Dunn, Miss B. Emerson, Mrs. S. W. Field, Mrs. H. A. Friedman, Mrs. C. E. Garnett, Mrs. C. F. Gwynne, Mrs. L. C. Harris, Mrs. G. B. Henwood, Mrs. A. J. Huff, Mrs. J. A. Hutchison, Mrs. F. S. Keeping, Mrs. J. C. Kerr, Mrs. W. A. R. Kerr, Mrs. G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. H. N. Lane, Mrs. M. R. Levey, Mrs. A. J. Lobsinger, Mrs. W. A. McAulay, Mrs. R. V. MacConham, Mrs. J. Boyd McBride, Mrs. D. G. MacQueen, Mrs. H. R. Milner, Mrs. G. Monkman, Mrs. J. H. Morris, Mrs. Hugh Nash, Dr. M. F. Newell, Mrs. G. O'Connor, Mrs. E. Pope, Mrs. F. B. Rodman, Mrs. Pat Ryan, Mrs. S. M. Scott, Mrs. F. Smiles, Mrs. T. E. Small, Mrs. D. Spence, Mrs. W. L. Wilkin and Mrs. R. G. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Moreau have announced the engagement of their second daughter, Vivienne Frances Moreau, to Donald Henry Gibb, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gibb. The marriage will take place Feb. 28.

HAVE A CARE SOLDIER MEN

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Soldier men, home victorious from battlefronts around the world may find another war on their hands on civvy street, Maj. R. A. C. Radcliffe of the British War Office Directorate of Welfare told a London audience recently. "Some of the men will

return to wives who have been bus over their authority to the men. conductors and who have become The whole problem will have to be used to bossing people around," he handled with care, sympathy and said. "They may not want to hand understanding."

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BOILING BEEF Plate or Brisket	Lb. 10c
COTTAGE ROLLS No. 1 Quality in Visking Casings	Lb. 35c
YOUNG PORK Shoulder Roasts, lean	Lb. 20c
WEINERS No. 1 Quality	Lb. 22c
BOLOGNA Sliced or by the piece	Lb. 17c

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All Safeway fruits and vegetables are sold by weight. When you buy this way you are assured of receiving full value for your money.

ORANGES Sunkist Fancy, Full of Juice	Lb. 10c
APPLES Rome Beauty, Fancy Quality	2 lbs. 17c
TOMATOES Firm, Ripe Field	Lb. 28c
GRAPEFRUIT Texas Marsh Seedless	3 lbs. 25c
CELERY California, Crisp, Green	Lb. 14c
LETTUCE Crisp, Solid Heads	Lb. 17c

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Grocery stores throughout the Dominion have pledged themselves to sell two million dollars worth of War Savings Stamps during the month of February. This can only be accomplished if you help by taking part of your change in stamps each week. Start now and help us put this over.

Note the low prices on these ration-free items

Baking Needs

Eggs	Grade A Medium	Doz.	37c
Lard	All Brands, 1-lb. cartons	Ea.	14c
Flour	Kitchen Craft, 7-lb. sack 22c	21 lbs.	69c
Extract	Trumpet Vanilla, 2-oz.	Bottle	19c
Mapeline	Crescent, 2-oz.	Bottle	32c
Baking Soda	Cow Brand, 1-lb.	Pkg.	10c
Baking Powder	Magic, 12-oz. tin		23c

Cereals

All Bran	Kellogg's, 16-oz.	Pkg.	21c
Blendies	Ogilvie's, 8-oz.	2 pkgs.	17c
Grapenuts	12-oz. Packages	Ea.	14c
Sunny Boy	Cereal, 4-lb.	Pkg.	25c
Cornflakes	Kellogg's, 8-oz.	Pkg.	7c
Bran Flakes	Kellogg's, 8-oz.	2 pkgs.	21c
Rolled Oats	Ogilvie's Non-Premium, 8-oz.	Pkg.	18c

Household Goods

Matches	Eddy's Redbird, Carlton	23c
Bon Ami	Powdered, Tin	Ea. 14c
Lemon Oil	12-oz. Bottles	Ea. 12c
Light Bulbs	33-40 Watt	Ea. 15c

Macaroni Products

Macaroni	Ready Cut, 5-lb. Ctn.	25c
Macaroni	Ready Cut, 8-oz. Pkg.	5c
Creamettes	8-oz. Packages	2 for 15c

Miscellaneous Goods

Peas	Gardenale, 16-oz. tins	Ea. 10c
Salt	Windsor Iodized or Plain, 2-lb. Ctn.	9c
Soup	Aymer Vegetable or Tomato, 10-oz.	Tin 8c
Cocoa	Cowan's, 1-lb.	Tin 23c
Sodas	Paulin's Salt or Plain, 16-oz.	Pkg. 18c
Starch	Canada Corn 1-lb. pkg.	2 for 19c
Carrots	Broder's Diced 30-oz. tins	Ea. 13c

YOU'RE IN STEP with the drive to save paper for war needs if you use a SHOPPING BAG

SWIFT'S WEEKLY FOOD HINTS

Martha Logan, Swift's famed Home Economist, whose weekly cooking column is a regular feature of this page. Look for these valuable hints every Tuesday

by Martha Logan

"Waste Not—Want Not"

Every scrap of food saved is a step toward the home-front victory

Grandmother used to say "wifil waste makes woeful want." Today we say "Buy wisely; cook correctly; eat it up." Right now when we need so much food for our armed forces, our Allies and the Red Cross, it's up to us not to waste a spoonful of anything. One of our "kitchen police" duties is to use up scraps of food in attractive dishes.

Those teaspoons of left-over vegetables, vegetable water, meat, and dried ends of bread can be made into a tasty meat loaf. Serve it hot for supper—then slice the leftovers for the sandwich box carried by your family war worker.

In the panel you'll find a honey of a left-over meat dish, called "Western Ranch Meat Loaf" because those hardy western men of our land swear by it.

Martha Logan

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Eleanor Roosevelt

MY DAY

DETROIT.—Today I want to tell you a story and reprint a poem. The girl to whom the poem was written became engaged on November 13, 1942, to young Lieutenant S. J. Wright. He had majored in English at Dartmouth where his father is a professor of philosophy and he wanted to make writing his

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW



"Great hunch ya had last night on a safe spot for a fox hole—Now try your hunch on that being a dud or a time bomb!"

FUNNY BUSINESS



"Gentlemen of the paper conservation committee: This will advise you we are co-operating with you to the fullest extent!"

FRECKLES



CURIOUS WORLD



Answer: Greenland.

to knock out an enemy position so his men could advance.

To explain the last line of the poem, he wrote in his letter:

"This is for you, as you can plainly see, and so I want you to like it and understand it. That won't be difficult (the understanding)—until perhaps the last word which you may neither like nor understand. Selfishness in itself is not necessarily bad—it is too human for that. You would quickly say that our greatest want (or selfishness) is to be together again. Yet if you think, you'll realize even that selfishness is subordinate to the reason for fighting this war. But we feel, and here we constantly do, that some great good must come from this. Which is why I am here and you're there. Maybe you like it better this way; although our selfishness (yours and mine) is undeniably uppermost in our hearts, we make an effort to keep it secondary in our minds. Do you see that compared to the fight it is selfishness?"

The poem, which I reprint by permission of the Ladies' Home Journal:

"A MARINE TO HIS GIRL"

"From the damp of my foxhole, each night, Up through the restless, worrying jungle Into the Heaven's shimmering light, I lean my weight to the emptiness. And reach strong over the ocean's arc, Groping with care to where you are. Into your windows where the dark Cold wind swirls and cries your loneliness."

Tenderly, tenderly I hold your love. Aching kiss your sweet soft lips. But briefly, I am torn apart and above And back to this island's positive-ness.

These nights, as through that window You pray for the moment when something More than my spirit returns, deeply know: Tomorrow must be greater than our selfishness."

A challenge to us that last line! Copyright, 1944, by United Features Syndicate, Inc., and The Edmonton Bulletin.

McCoy Health Service

Many diseases of the scalp are caused by a lack of cleanliness or lack of care in shampooing. Dust and dirt collect readily upon the hair and works down into the scalp, clogging the pores. When the scalp is in this condition it is very easy for infection to develop. The cure of almost any infection of the scalp and hair is more dependent upon cleanliness than the use of antiseptic or lotions.

Many people realize the necessity of keeping the body clean for health but they do not realize that it is just as important to keep the scalp free of impurities.

It is true that when a shampoo is improperly used, the natural oil of the hair may be removed and the scalp becomes dry, but this will not occur if the right method of shampooing is used. Whenever possible, distilled water or rain water should be used for washing the hair, as either of these dissolves the dirt more readily than ordinary water. The hair should first be moistened with warm water and then thoroughly lathered with a good toilet soap or shampoo. The hair should be well worked and the scalp massaged gently, then all of the soap should be washed out. Repeat this process with the soap, then wash the hair out again and rinse well with clean water to which some lemon juice has been added. Next, dry the hair thoroughly using a large Turkish towel.

After the hair has been dried, rub a teaspoonful of coconut oil, olive oil or some other vegetable oil into the palms of the hands and thoroughly massage this into the scalp and hair roots. This will give the hair another coating of oil to replace that which has been washed out and in this way the lustre will be restored. The appearance of the hair will be improved for very much the same reason as the applying of a polish to your furniture or your automobile. The entire scalp should be rubbed vigorously for several minutes and the excess oil should be removed with another clean towel.

If you have any disease of the scalp, such as dandruff, this washing and oiling of the hair should be repeated every day or every other day for several weeks until the trouble has cleared up. Even if you have no disease of the scalp, and, if you thoroughly massage the scalp in addition to using the right method of Shampooing you can improve the circulation and in this way avoid becoming bald.

All questions regarding health and diet will be answered. Large stamped, self addressed envelope must be enclosed. Write on one side of paper only. Letters must not exceed 150 words. Address McCoy Health Service, The Met of Building, 1151 West 8th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

Publisher Dies

BRIDGEWATER, N.S. Feb. 1.—(CP)—Charles J. Cragg, 83, owner and managing editor of the Bridgewater Weekly Bulletin until his retirement in 1932, died here Saturday.

Speaking Tour

CALGARY, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Alex Walker, Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., left Calgary Monday to begin a speaking tour of British Columbia branches of the organization which will continue until February 17.

Tradition places the castle of "Old King Cole" of the nursery rhyme in Colchester, Essex, England.



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Goering Ouster Plot Reported

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Moscow radio broadcast a Tass dispatch from Zurich today asserting Col. Gen. Hans Jesschonnek, 44-year-old chief of staff of the German air force, whose sudden death was announced in Berlin last Aug. 20, had been involved in a plot to replace Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering.

The Tass dispatch, as quoted by the Moscow radio, said that after Jesschonnek's death important changes were noted in the air force command.

The Berlin radio reported last August Jesschonnek had died at Goering's headquarters following a "serious illness." Cause of death was given as a "malignant disease."

Flier Missing

VICTORIA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—P.O. Roy J. Cook, 22, D.F.M., of the R.C.A.F., is missing after overseas air operations, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cook, Victoria, were advised yesterday.

Elected



H. R. Milner, K.C., whose election as Potentate of Al Azhar Temple, in succession to George Loomis, took place at Calgary Monday night.

Ottawa Man Again Heads Farm Group

QUEBEC, Feb. 1.—(CP)—H. H. Hannam of Ottawa yesterday was re-elected president of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture at the closing session of its eighth annual meeting.

Representatives from all parts of Canada attending the five-day convention yesterday passed the following resolutions:

1. That the government make possible the greatest development of the co-operative movement in Canada.
2. That 75 per cent of the proceeds of livestock dispersal sales be exempt from income tax as return of capital and that 25 per cent be recognized as current income.
3. That the Canadian wheat board be authorized to handle oats and barley on the same basis as wheat, paying an initial price and issuing participating certificates provided the initial price should not be above the present ceiling price.
4. That each provincial federation of agriculture set up a health committee.
5. That the national farm radio forum be continued.
6. That the government give careful consideration of utilizing military hospital units as rural health centres.
7. That floor prices on farm products during the post-war period will be of very little use unless they provide adequate returns to the farmers and unless the marketing of the products is so ordered and controlled that surplus production would eventually defeat the very purpose of the floor prices.
8. That a representative of agriculture be placed on the war assets corporation.

Edmonton, District Men Serve in Navy



Sub-Lt. John Leask, EAS-c. W. E. Meneer, EAS-c. G. S. Doig, EAS-c. J. W. Swiniarski

Above are shown four Edmonton and district men serving in the navy. Sub-Lt. John Leask is the 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leask of 10919 125 street, and is serving overseas with the navy. A former student at the University of Alberta, he joined the navy in April, 1942. Engineer Artificer 5-c. William Everett Meneer, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Meneer of 1305 108 avenue, was promoted from stoker first class after his graduation from the Royal Canadian Navy's Mechanical Training Establishment on the west coast. He will continue studies in electricity at the navy's advanced training classes now being held at the University of Alberta. Prior to enlistment he attended the Edmonton Technical School. Engineer Artificer 5-c. George Stanley Doig has been promoted from stoker first class after graduation from the west coast training establishment. He will continue his studies in internal combustion engines at the navy's advanced training classes at the University of Alberta. Born in Poland in 1920 he came to Canada with his parents and settled at Hardisty. He continued his studies at Winnipeg at the Commercial School of Radio and Telegraphy prior to enlistment in the navy in May, 1942.

Are Moved to Breslau

Important German Government Departments Abandon Berlin

By ROBERT DOWSON
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LONDON, Feb. 1.—Reports reaching London said today that important departments of the German government were abandoning bomb-ridden Berlin, and were being re-established in Breslau.

The diplomatic correspondent of the London Daily Mail said all principal departments had been evacuated from Berlin to Breslau.

Neutral dispatches described Berlin as a dying city, disintegrating under the stepped-up Allied aerial pounding. In three major raids since last Thursday, Allied airmen have dropped 5,800 short tons of bombs on the German capital. It was reported that the latest raids brought the city much nearer final disaster, and that although 2,000,000 of Berlin's 5,000,000 population already have been evacuated there was a serious shortage of living accommodations.

Only one-fifth of Berlin's factories were able to open Monday. Swedish dispatches said, and they added that German authorities in the city decreed that all persons losing jobs because of the bombings must report immediately for assignment to new work.

(The Bernese correspondent of the Stockholm newspaper, Morgen Tidningen, reported that fire brigades from all over Germany were being rushed to Berlin. He said all outbound traffic facilities were crowded and that authorities were having difficulty in maintaining order.)

(The Swedish newspaper, Dagens Nyheter, reported from Berlin that destruction was so widespread that many dead and injured caught beneath destroyed buildings remained there for several days before rescue squads could reach them. Authorities were reported distributing extra rations of cigarettes, coffee, butter, meat and bread to the thousands of homeless.)

edmonton parade... war services club is popular

He entered the room, somewhat bewildered looking, and seemingly lost, and just watched the many young people around him, laughing and having fun. He was lonesome and his heart felt heavy underneath the khaki uniform.

He edged over to a group where several young and attractive girls were standing among other servicemen. They were hands on their hips denoting that they were just for hostesses of the War Services Club.

Suddenly, the warmth of the conversational patter drew him into the circle and he found himself joining in the discussion. He was the only one in the group wearing a Canadian Army uniform, but the others were "only ones" too—an American air force lad, a Royal Navy man, and an "Aussie." But they were all servicemen and they were all young, and so they were all one.

This scene at the War Services Club has been repeated time and again and many a lonely serviceman has found himself one of a large family in his "second home."

Entering the fourth year of his life, the War Services Club, located at the Edmonton Young Men's Christian Association has a proud record of serving not only men and women in uniform but also the young women war workers of the city, many of whom are away from home too, and who serve as junior hostesses.

It operates completely on a voluntary basis seven days a week and offers members of the armed forces a "place to eat good meals that fit a service man's pocket; a place to read; to write letters; to enjoy good companionship; to dance or listen to music; to make friends; to get help in enjoying a furlough; to sit and talk—a second home."

WIDESPREAD FAME
Farflung is the fame of the War Services Club. Recently, it was visited by a group of Royal Navy men, who rushed over during a stop off in Edmonton to see "this club we've heard so much about in England."

Wednesday and Saturday night dances at the "Y" are growing increasingly popular and an average evening's attendance ranges from 350 to 450 servicemen. Servicemen are welcome too, not only for the dancing, but for the services of the club.

ENJOY SING SONG
Breaking down even some of the shyest, the regular "sing song" on the dance evenings is a happy blend of sweet and strong voices which pay tribute to all branches of the service as well as sing some of the "old favorites" and many of the more popular newer tunes.

A young man brings his partner a cup of coffee, or a glass of milk or some soda pop from the canteen in between dances; another sits out his dance, and talks about home; several boys get into a huddle of their own and exchange ideas and comments; here and there a man gets engrossed in a good book in the quiet of the reading room; but everywhere, service men find a freedom of expression and an informal home-like atmosphere.

A R.A.F. boy brings his partner into the reading room. "I want to introduce you to one of the best," he says. "He's a 'limey' but he's wonderful." And they all smile in comradeship and good fellowship.

UNSELFISH HELPERS
The Edmonton women who have given of their time and effort unselfishly toward the organization and maintenance of this tremendous service are many. A few of them are Mrs. Wyatt, president of the War Services Club; Miss M. Sturt, entertainment; Mrs. John Turner, house committee; Mrs. A. L. Miller, convener of junior hostesses; Miss K. Clarke, president of the junior hostesses organization; Mrs. James Cox, canteen, and Mrs. J. H. Morris, of the War Services Council, in charge of information, housing and entertainment for service men in city homes.

Reading like a "geography," the guest book of the Edmonton War Services Club includes the names of service men and service women of all ages in all branches of the service from all parts of the universe, many of whom have since returned to their stations, but all of them full of the memory of "Edmonton hospitality."—F.B.

Planes Will Carry Heifers to Aklavik

TORONTO, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Six artificially inseminated Jersey heifers will soon be flown by plane from Edmonton to Aklavik to augment the herd of 13 Jersey purebred cattle recently established there by Dr. L. D. Livingston, chief medical officer for the territory. W. T. Hunter, secretary of the Quebec Breeders' Association, said here last night.

Mr. Hunter attending the annual meeting of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Association, related how the resident physician and Arctic agriculturalist cleared off a 40-acre tract to establish his Arctic dairy, the nucleus of the herd was purchased in Quebec and flown to Aklavik.

Milk from the most northerly dairy herd on the continent brings 25 cents a quart.

Six Youths Given Terms in Prison For Causing Blast

GLASGOW, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Six youths described as members of an organization known as the Flanna Na H-Alba were sentenced to imprisonment yesterday for causing the explosion which wrecked the boardroom of Imperial Chemical Industries, Limited, Jan. 7.

All pleaded guilty to charges of throwing hand grenades into the premises, endangering life and damaging property. Three of the men also admitted breaking into a home guard ammunition shelter and stealing 39 hand grenades and 48 detonators. They were sent to prison for nine months. The others were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment.

Says Italo King Is "Stupid, Criminal"

BARI, Italy, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Count Carlo Sforza, delivering the concluding speech at the Congress of Political Parties here Saturday, denounced King Victor Emmanuel as "a stupid, vile, abject criminal monarch" and his government as "a putrid little corpse."

Those besides King Victor who are really guilty of fascism, he added, are the various rubber kings, steel kings and chemical kings. "We will ferret them out of the banks and factories when we get power," he said.

Sforza declared that the government's measures to remove fascist influences were "shame," and would leave those at the top undisturbed.

"If we present ourselves at the peace conference, after getting rid of the dead weight of a horrible past, we may emerge with honor," he said.

Approve Higher Pay For Teachers

MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Increases ranging from \$175 to \$300 a year in the minimum salaries of men and women teachers were approved at a meeting of the Montreal Catholic School Commission. Under the increases approved, women teachers would receive a minimum of \$800 yearly instead of \$625, while single male teachers would have their minimum raised to \$1,200 from \$900, and married men to \$1,300 from \$1,200.

U.S. Casualties Given as 146,186

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Casualties for all of the armed forces since the United States entered the war total 146,186, including 33,153 dead, 49,518 wounded, 33,617 missing, and 29,898 taken prisoner, the office of war information reported last night on the basis of the latest tabulations by the war and navy departments.

Promote Chaplain

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Rev. W. Ewart Cochran of Toronto, principal Protestant chaplain for the R.C.A.F., has been promoted from the honorary rank of group captain to that of air commodore. It was learned yesterday. He has been in Canada recently delivering a series of addresses.

Lakehead Junior

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Dewey Is Seen G.O.P.'s Choice For Presidency

Young Tom Dewey, governor of New York, apparently will be the next Republican candidate for the United States presidency—if he wants to. This story tells of the move to draft him for the presidential race. Tomorrow: Wilkie's chances.

Will Try Out Running Bases "In Reverse"

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In any case, the proposal will be tested August 11 at Wichita between two certified teams which will open the 10th annual semi-pro tournament. But the congress decided that all other games will be played under the rules of organized baseball.

Suggests Majors Help Pro Football

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—A suggestion that holders of major league baseball franchises either acquire franchises in the National Football League or start another "major" professional football circuit was advanced last night by Bob Carpenter, youthful new president of the Philadelphia Phillies.

"I do not want to antagonize pro football, or to start a war," Carpenter said in an interview, "but I believe the magnates (baseball) should attempt to buy the National Football League franchises in their respective cities if they are for sale, apparently wants a rival circuit and 'The National Football League if the franchises cannot be obtained in the older league maybe we can help them by starting another major football loop.'"

Kangaroo Partner Of Fighter Dies

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Tommy Loughran's old sparring partner—a guy named Pete who fought with his feet—died Monday. Pete was a kangaroo in the Philadelphia zoo. The former lightweight champion went a couple of rounds with him several times around 1938, being careful to keep out of the way of Pete's powerful feet.

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Additional Sport

Tom Burlington Is Still Leading American League

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Thomas Burlington of Cleveland accumulated four points last week to retain his scoring lead in the American Hockey League for individual honors. The three goals and one assist gave him a total of 52.

Lou Trudel, a teammate of Burlington, was second with 50 points. Gordon Sherritt of Indianapolis is the top penalty man. Sherritt has 59 minutes in the box.

The leading scorers:

Player	Team	G	A	Pts
Burlington	Cleveland	22	30	52
Trudel	Cleveland	19	31	50
Gauthier	Hershey	27	21	48
Cunningham	Cleveland	18	29	47
Thomson	Indianapolis	14	33	47
Kilrea	Hershey	15	30	45
Bartholome	Cleveland	15	28	43
Hunt	Buffalo	15	24	39
Hergert	Hershey	13	22	35
Smith	Indianapolis	15	19	34

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Passes Physical

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 31.—(AP)—Gene Desautels, Cleveland Indians' catcher, passed his pre-induction physical examination here Monday and was classified for service in the Navy. He will be subject to call.

Suggests Survey Fishing Resources

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Josiah W. Bailey, admittedly the most ichthyophagous citizen of Raleigh, North Carolina, who ever attained a seat in the United States senate, asked congress a \$20,000 question Monday:

What have America's fish been doing the past 64 years?

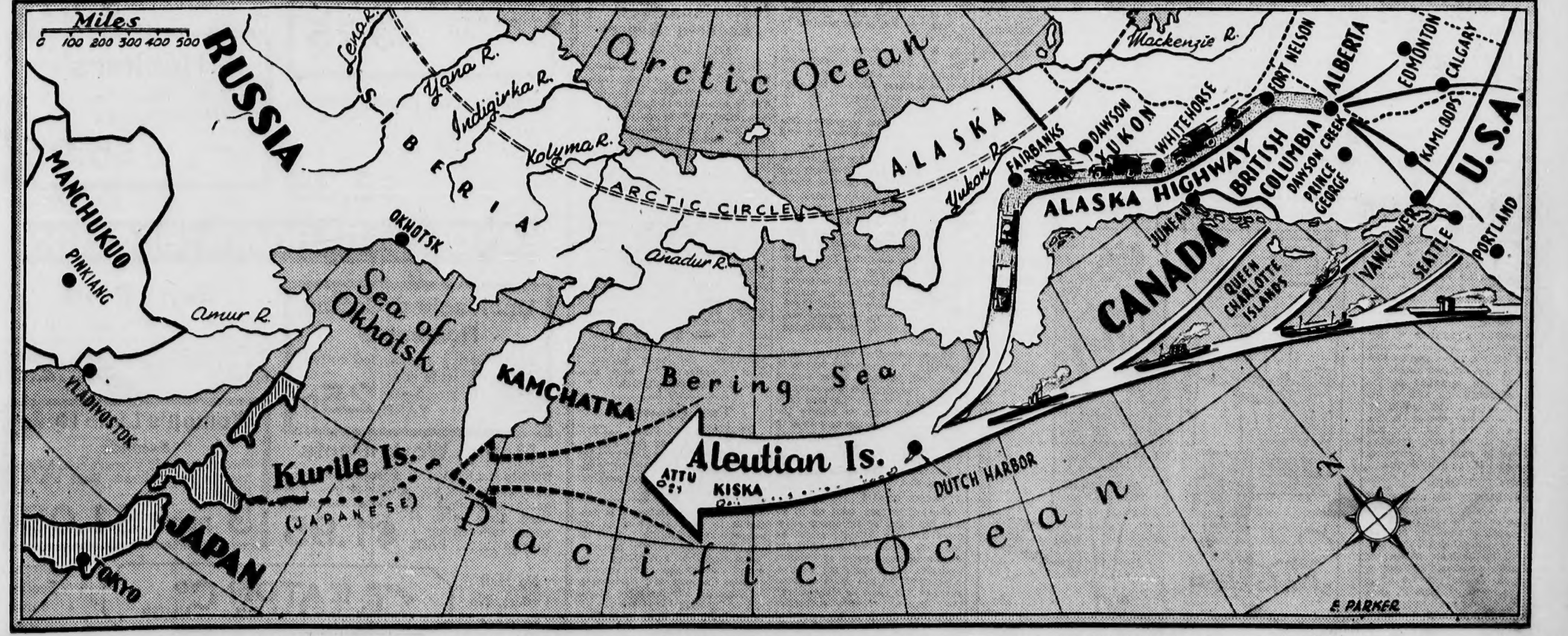
That was just the first, tentative, let's-see-if-they're-biting cast for his follow-up inquiry:

What can be done to assure the United States a continuing supply of what he calls "the best food on earth?"

To that end, Senator Bailey introduced a joint resolution asking \$20,000 to finance a codfish-to-mudcat survey of the marine and freshwater fishing resources of the country, looking toward a rounded national policy beneficial to the sportsman as well as to the commercial fisherman.

time stalemate here last night to remain deadlocked in first place in the Lakehead Junior Hockey League. In an opening game Port Arthur Junior Flyers whipped Fort William Columbus Club 5-2.

Pincers From North, South Soon To Snap On Tokyo



OVER ALASKA HIGHWAY AND BY SEA, ALLIES BUILD FOR NORTHERN SMASH DOWN THE FOGGY KURILE STEPPING STONES

Adjustment Money System To Insure Economic Security Is Advocated by Premier

It is a known fact that Canada can produce an abundance of goods, and it is absurd to suggest that the country does not possess the intelligence to distribute this plenty in an equitable manner to insure economic security for all Canadians, Premier Ernest Manning said in an address here Monday night.

Mr. Manning told of three alternatives being presented to Canadians as to how the distribution of the national production should be organized after the war:

1. That there should be no drastic change in the present money system, or in the manner in which industry is operated, and implementation of a social security insurance system, as suggested by the two old-line political parties.

2. That the state should take over the ownership and operation of the means of production and of the monetary system, as is suggested by the so-called socialist parties.

3. The Social Credit proposal, which concentrates on the essential problem of insuring that the plenty which can be produced is equitably distributed to give the people not only security but security with maximum personal freedom. The money system being the means for organizing such distribution, the Social Credit proposals deal with a thorough going reform of the monetary system.

The first essential step which must be taken is for parliament, acting on behalf of the people, to assume full and effective control over and responsibility for the issue of all money—both currency and credit. The mechanism for handling this already exists in the nationally owned Bank of Canada.

Under a Social Credit economy it would be the responsibility of the Bank of Canada to insure that money was made available to finance all wanted production, and that all the people at all times had sufficient purchasing power to buy all the available goods and services. This purchasing power should be so distributed that it ensured economic security with maximum freedom for all, and there would be adequate safeguards to preclude exploitation of the people by vested interests or by unfair prices.

It is the basis of the Social Credit case that by proper adjustments in the monetary system—which is the key to our economic organization—we can establish a properly functioning democracy, eliminate the evil features of our present unjust economic structure, and at the same time preserve and extend the benefits which can be derived from genuine competition to satisfy public demands, from personal initiative and from individual enterprise.

In short our proposal is this: Let us distribute the plenty we can produce by making the necessary adjustments in the mechanism of economic organization—namely, the money system—with a minimum of dislocation to our national life.

That is the sane and common-sense course of action which is commending itself to an increasing number of Canadians. That is the issue which should come before parliament at this session. I have before me an editorial which appeared the other day in one of Canada's leading Liberal newspapers. I quote:

"Canada's Best Asset will come up for review during the session of parliament which begins this week. The act is automatically subject to decennial examination and this is the year when such an examination is due to take place.

"It will be a very great misfortune for this country if Prime Minister King fails to seize this occasion to implement his election declaration that the creation of credit and currency is the exclusive right of the state and should not be farmed out to any private banking institutions. . . .

"There is in Canada very little quarrel with the functions, and operations of the chartered banks, so long as they confine themselves to the duties of merchant banking. In this field they do an excellent job.

"But when the chartered banks depart from this field and are permitted to usurp the sovereign rights of the people in the creation of credit and currency, they exceed their proper functions and impose a burden of public and private debt that the masses of no nation should be asked to assume.

BELONGS TO PEOPLE
"The Bank of Canada belongs to the people of Canada. It was established for the purpose of issuing currency and credit in terms of public need. When it begins to function in this way, according to Premier King's own election formula, the people of this country will have arrived at a new guarantee of economic freedom." Unquote.

RESTRICTED SYSTEM
Let us examine that suggestion briefly. How can we expect the present restricted money system which prevented the production and distribution of sufficient goods and services to provide the people of Canada with economic security before the war, to do so after the war? The idea is preposterous. Furthermore, how can people with the inadequate wages distributed under our present money system be given increased security by still further reducing these wages as is proposed, to provide a central insurance fund? Obviously the suggestion being put forward by the two old-line political parties under various compulsory contributory state insurance schemes.

EXAMINE PROPOSAL
Let us examine this proposition. It is true that production and distribution could be planned to ensure economic security, but because all power would be concentrated in the state authorities, this security would be purchased by the people at the expense of an even greater asset, namely, their freedom. History has demonstrated repeatedly that the centralization of such powers in any government leads ultimately to out and out dictatorship. Remember political

Gets D.F.C., D.S.O.



Squadron Leader Fred James Garvey, a member of a "pathfinder" squadron overseas, has won the D.S.O. as well as the D.F.C. for "courage and devotion to duty in attacks on the Ruhr." He is the son of the late Art Garvey, one-time sports editor of the Vancouver Province.

Last week I quoted the 1935 election pledge given by Prime Minister Mackenzie King to which the editorial refers. Let me repeat it. "Canada is faced with a great battle between the money power and the people, a battle which will be waged in the new parliament. I plead for a sweeping Liberal victory to carry out my policies of public control of currency and credit. Until the control of currency and credit is restored to the government all talk of sovereignty of parliament and democracy is idle and futile."

Notwithstanding that pledge given to the people of Canada in 1935, the Mackenzie King government has, during the intervening eight years, shown itself to be a slave to orthodox finance and the status quo. They have not only sided with the financial interests to prevent us from introducing Social Credit reforms in Alberta, they have not only refused to do anything to bring about the necessary reforms themselves in the national field, but they have consistently legislated and pursued a policy which has increased the power of the private financial monopoly in Canada.

It is true that Prime Minister Mackenzie King's government nationalized the Bank of Canada, but in so doing they took care to leave its powers and its policies unchanged, and the dominating control of the private money power untouched.

CHALLENGING MONOPOLY
In taking the national political field, the Social Credit movement is challenging the right of the present financial monopoly to continue to dominate the economic life of the Canadian people.

As you already know a national Social Credit convention is to be held in the city of Toronto early in April. At that convention delegates sent by the people from all parts of Canada will decide on a national platform, and they will choose a national leader.

A convention will be made to enable the people to place Social Credit candidates of their own choice in the federal field throughout. We are determined that since none of the other parties will do this job that must be done, the people shall have the opportunity of sending to Ottawa men and women who will do it for them.

With the national Convention taking place early in April, a great deal has to be done in a short time. So I urge each of you to get busy in your districts in preparation for sending a delegate to Toronto.

A convention office will be opened in Toronto shortly—but in the meantime all enquiries should be addressed to the convention secretary, Box 72, Edmonton. Be sure to write for full particulars about the national convention—and also for any other information you may want.

And please don't leave it to George to do this job. Remember nothing worthwhile was ever achieved without an effort—and this entails an effort upon which the future of Canada may well depend.

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THESE WOMEN!



"You say he won't let YOU pet him? Hmmm—he must be a pretty sick pup!"

Air Power

Superbomber B-29

By Maj. A. P. de Seversky

Details of the superbomber B-29, which is being made ready for action, are not yet public. Enough, however, has been revealed, particularly in the British press, to show clearly that the plane was designed for action from bases deep inside the present Japanese sphere of conquest. Its range, as originally planned, was inadequate for direct bombardment of Japan proper from bases now in our hands, such as Alaska and its Aleutian extensions.

The B-29 was apparently geared to the optimistic assumption that by the time it was in production we would possess bases much closer to the enemy's heart. It was the same sort of optimism reflected in occasional predictions from high ranking officials that victory would be ours in the Pacific as early as Christmas of 1943.

But instead of advancing toward Japan on the radius of its circle of control, we are still fighting and moving along its outer periphery. Aside from sporadic distant interior



de Seversky

points, we are as far from the goal as ever in terms of actual mileage. While our amphibious forces are plowing through Japanese defenses in the hope of acquiring bases from which this new bomber can be used, far-reaching inventive and technological progress has been boosting the performance of aircraft, especially in the matter of range. As a result, the B-29 in the Pacific may not have to wait until the bases planned for its operations are taken. It may be enabled to strike from distances much greater than anticipated. Our industrial and scientific genius, in other words, may serve to remedy the military miscalculation.

CURVE OF PROGRESS

Airmen who foresaw extremely rapid technical advances in aviation were often accused of being "Buck Rogers" and "Jules Verne" type. Their critics did not grasp the fact that experience in the last war provided a scientific foundation for estimating the tempo of inventive progress. It was on that foundation that the writer was able to plot a curve of progress for this war and forecast swift and vital changes in the aviation field under the impact of the struggle. It is interesting to take a brief inventory of technological advances since the United States entered the war, mentioning only a few of the things already made public:

1—Engines of 3000 horsepower have become a reality. This means that six-engine bombers with 18,000 horsepower are now possible, giving us range up to 10,000 miles with at least ten tons of bombs and a heavy load of ammunition—a flight with full military load, for instance, from Alaska to Japan and back non-stop. If the time of development of such large engines had been properly estimated, big bombers to accommodate them would already be reaching the production line.

2—A number of new fuels of great potency have been developed, such as triptane, which can add 50 per cent in horsepower, or the new "head catalyst" fuel announced by Sococo-Vacuum, which may give up to 35 per cent higher power output.

3—A process of injecting water in cylinder heads has been perfected that can raise engine horsepower by about 25 per cent. This, incidentally, is a development that helps explain the astonishment of motorists when their cars worked more efficiently in the dewy morning or after rain.

4—Jet and rocket propulsion is with us. Already it gives us terrific speeds for fighters at high altitudes, and it can also be utilized to assist aircraft in take-off with heavier loads than can normally leave the ground. Each one of the above four developments means a considerable gain in range, speed, or load capacity, or combination of all three.

5—We have come into possession of electronically controlled gunsights that make possible the kind of artillery duels in the skies that had been regarded as fantastic before the war.

6—Rocket aerial torpedoes, free falling and radio directed, are with us.

7—New devices for bombing invisible targets through clouds and overcast have been used in action.

8—Important aerodynamical refinements, reducing the drag and increasing the lift of aircraft, have been developed.

These are only a few that can be discussed in the press. They show how unwarranted was the conservatism not only of orthodox military circles but of aeronautical theorists who limited themselves purely to slide-rule verdicts in judging the emerging aviation.

Officers Elected By Farm Group

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Herbert H. Hannam of Ottawa has been appointed managing-director of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture and will be in charge of the organization's national office here, it was announced yesterday.

The announcement was made by the national office, which said the appointment was made at the organization's eighth annual meeting which concluded in Quebec yesterday. At the meeting, Mr. Hannam was re-elected president of the Federation for his fifth term.

W. J. Parker, president of the Manitoba wheat pool, was elected first vice-president and J. A. Marion of the Quebec Union of Catholic Farmers, was chosen second vice-president.

Colin G. Groat of Ottawa, former director of publicity for Alberta, was appointed secretary.

Elected executive members included Norman F. Priestley, Alberta; A. H. Mercer, British Columbia; R. S. Law, Winnipeg; and L. F. Burrows, secretary-manager of the Canadian Horticultural Council.

**New Directorate
Constituted For
Aircraft Firm**

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The board of directors of Victory Aircraft Ltd., Malton, Ont., has resigned and a new board has been constituted, it was announced last night by the munitions department.

J. P. Bickell of Toronto has succeeded as president of the firm by V. W. Scully, also Toronto.

The announcement said Mr. Bickell asked to be relieved of his responsibilities as president and that his fellow directors had expressed a wish to retire at the same time, so the new president might have a free hand in reconstructing the board.

The new directors are Harold S. Beddoe, president of United-Carr Fastener Co. of Canada, Maj. J. E. Hahn, director-general of the Canadian army technical development board and president of John Inglis Co. Ltd., Richard Riley, grand lodge representative of the International Association of Machinists, and L. F. Winnick, vice-president and general manager of Hinde and Dauch Paper Co. of Canada, Ltd.

**Leese Welcomes
Canadian Corps
Into 8th Army**

By DOUGLAS AMARON
WITH THE CANADIANS IN ITALY, Feb. 1.—(CP)—The Canadian Corps in Italy, led by Lt.-Gen. H. G. Crerar, was welcomed into the 8th Army by Lt.-Gen. Sir Oliver Leese, its commander, during a recent visit to corps headquarters.

This was disclosed in an army headquarters statement last Thursday which added that Lt.-Gen. Sir Oliver Leese extended on behalf of the army under his command a warm welcome to Gen. Crerar and the Canadian Corps.

Composition of the corps units fighting beside Indian and British troops of the 8th Army was not disclosed but it is known to contain a division commanded by Maj.-Gen. Chris Vokes of Winnipeg and Ottawa.

**Indian Annuities
Reduced Report
In House Shows**

OTTAWA, Feb. 1.—(CP)—Investigation of persons receiving Indian annuities has resulted in the deletion of a number of names of persons found not to be Indians, it was reported in the auditor-general's report, tabled yesterday in the Commons by Finance Minister Ilsley.

The number of payments on Indian annuities, under the resources department, was reduced from 3,308 in 1940 to 2,875 in 1942.

The report also commented on the manner in which members of conciliation boards appointed under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act are paid. Members receive \$20 for each day a board sits and in some cases one individual is a member of more than one board.

An instance was cited of a payment of \$180 to a member for a single day because nine boards, comprising the same personnel dealt simultaneously with nine labor disputes at Galt, Ont.

Two Drowned
OSOYOOS, B.C., Feb. 1.—(CP)—Barry Pugh, 18, and Roy Tweedy, 14, were drowned on Sunday when they broke through thin ice while skating on Osoyoos lake near the international boundary.

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